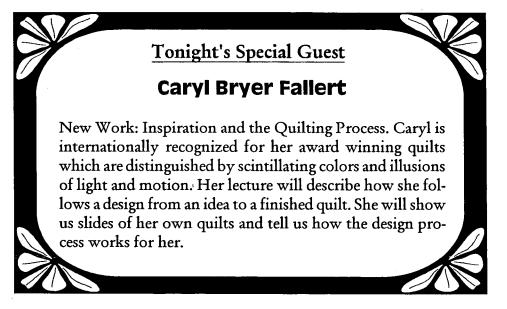


Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara & Goleta, CA

August 1997



### Harvest of Colors: A Members' Showcase

We are now officially on the calendar at the Earl Warren show grounds for our quilt show to be held on October 3 and 4 of 1998. Not only are we listed, we also have a name! With close to 20 members in attendance at our August 6 meeting at Samarkand and MUCH discussion the "baby" was named "Harvest of Colors; A Members' Showcase". So, who won the free ticket? It will be split among the committee members.

There are a few new names to add to the committee lists. Betty Libbert volunteered for the Hospitality Committee and will also help with the catalog. Add Judy Rys to the Catalog group. Kathy Pierce will be on the Acquisition Committee and Jocelyn Becchio will help with the Boutique. Linda Karppinen will see to it that we have a quilt appraiser at the show.

Thanks to Ellen Richardson for her input and to Suzy Carter for being our Samarkand contact. We still need someone to organize the volunteers at show time.

We will be meeting again on August 27 at 7:00 P.M. at Samarkand and if you would like to actively participate in planning your show, do come. PLEASE, input is not only welcome, but wanted. Let the committee know what you would like at your show!

Diane Eardley, Faith Huxley, Betty Kelley, Co-Chairmen

# Workshop

Thursday, August 14 Goleta Community Center 9:00 - 4:00

"Spontaneous Expressions" -Fabric collage, machine embroidery and various other free-motion machine techniques will be demonstrated. Several small studies will be compiled in class. This is a design orientated class, aimed at finding and expressing your personal creative style through experimentation and discovery.

# California State Fair Best of Show Competition

Karen Pickford's "Over The Rainbow" pieced suit from last year's Guild Challenge was recently entered in the California State Fair Best of Show Competition, as a result of winning Best of Show in the Santa Barbara Fair & Expo in April/May. Karen was just notified that her entry was selected for a 3 rd Place Award of Excellence. It was judged against entries from other County Best of Show winners. The entry will be on display at the State Fair in Sacramento from August 15 - September 1, 1997. The display will be located in Building 8 in Expo Center, if anyone is in the area during that time.

# **Exciting times are afoot for Coastal Quilter's Guild**

Next year we'll be putting on, not one, but two quilt shows!. How can we do this? It's easy—we have lots of help.

After the to-be-fabulous 1997 challenge quilts are completed, each member who made one will be eligible to hang it (them!) in an exhibit at Antioch University's art gallery. We've been invited by Antioch to exhibit our work from January through March at their downtown gallery at Garden and De la Guerra, just two blocks from State Street. Antioch's students are, for the most part, mature, working women who should appreciate our show theme: "Celebrating Women: the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly." We'll be feted at a gallery reception on January 17, so save the date on your 1998 calendar. (If you have one already, you're way ahead of me!) All Guild members are invited, not just those with quilts on display. We'll be drawing for our opportunity quilt at the reception. Anyone who wishes to may sell their work, commission free, during the exhibit. Antioch's shows are usually reviewed in the News-Press and the Independent. More information will be forthcoming.

After that exhibit, we should have an even bigger audience for our first "real" (if fabric shopping is included in your list of "musts") quilt show in October at Earl Warren Show Grounds. There is a lovely new

carpeted exhibit hall there, Warren Hall, which has been chosen by our site committee for the October 3-4 event. We'll be setting up on Friday, so be sure to set aside time to help out that weekend.

We want to include a quilt from every guild member in the show—so finish off that first quilt, twenty-fifth quilt, masterpiece quilt, anniversary quilt, antique top or flannel cuddle quilt! Let's show everyone what modern quilters—from enthusiastic beginners to accomplished quilt artists—are having so much fun doing.

And just in time (this October in Camarillo), the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds is holding a meeting on quilt show vendors. We hope to get not only help and advice on how to handle, chose, and hire vendors, but to make connections with the best vendors for our show.

Good organization is essential for a successful show and the show committee could use your help. Three talented members have volunteered to head this effort—Diane Eardley, Faith Huxley, and Betty Kelley—the "ey" team!

I'll miss you all in August when I'm away visiting my family on the east coast. In the hands of my trusty V.P., I'm confident that the meeting will finally end "on time." We can only hope, but Caryl Bryer-Fallert is a very wonderful speaker... Norah

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# **Board Meeting**

The Board Meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m., on Wednesday, September 3rd, at Norah's house, 2047 Cielito Lane, Santa Barbara (near Sheffield Reservoir). Carpool from the Mission by phoning Diane Eardley at 963-8321.

#### **OUILTING CLASSES FOR Fall 1997**

Another set of great quilting classes are will begin the week of September 8th. See the full description of all classes in the Adult Ed schedule in the S.B. News Press, on August 25th. Enjoy!!!

#### **Beginning Sampler Quilt - Marty Frolli**

Tuesdays, 9:00 - noon, Room T-2, Wake Center, and Wednesdays, 9:00 - noon, Room 2, Wake Center A course for those who have never quilted and for those who want to sharpen their basic skills. Learn the fundamentals of quiltmaking while constructing a small sampler quilt.

### Angel Song, Intermediate - Marty Frolli

Thursdays, 9:00 - noon, Room T-2, Wake Center, and Fridays, 9:00 - noon, Room 2, Wake Center You'll enjoy stitching up these quick and easy angel quilts, while mastering various appliqué, piecing and quilting techniques. Class will conclude with a machine quilting demonstration.

#### Autumn Sampler, Intermediate - Norah McMeeking

#### Tuesdays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm, Room 2, Wake Center

This class will feature a series of "do-able before the holidays" projects to decorate your home and for Christmas gift-giving. Some original patterns, others traditional designs adapted for rotary cutting.

#### Scrap Sampler, Beginning - Norah McMeeking

# Thursdays, 1:00 -4:00 pm, Grace Lutheran Church's new hall (A new location in Carpinteria)

At the first class meeting, students will choose between two different types of samplers—one an almost folkart Colonial style sampler, and the other a Puzzle Sampler.

#### Christmas Tree Quilts - Norah McMeeking

#### 2 Saturdays, September 20 & October 4

Learn easy pine tree designs for scrap quilts, holiday wallhangings, table linens, clothing and more. Preregistration begins August 25, at the Wake Center.

# 1930's Appliqué - Melody Bollay

# Wednesdays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm, Wake Center, Room 2

A variety of simple 1930's appliqué patterns will be provided, including such old-time favorites as Sunbonnet Sue, Overall Bill, Kitten, Butterfly, Scotty dog, Fan, Iris Posey and more.

# Crazy Quilts - Melody Bollay

# Thursdays, 6:30 - 9:30 pm, Wake Center, Room 1

Use simple appliqué shapes along with decorative stitches and ribbon embroidery techniques to make your own distinctive quilt. Instructions for several small projects will be provided.

# Water Color Quilts - Maggie Godwin

# 2 Saturdays, November 1, 9:00 - 3:00 pm, Wake Center, Room 2

Everyone admires quilts made in the "water color" technique, with squares of fabric combined to create a masterpiece. Extend fabric options by trading fabric squares in class.

# Everything I Need to Know About Life I Learned in My Quilting Class - Maggie Godwin

Tuesdays, 7:00 - 10:00 pm, Wake Center, Rm. 2, and Thursdays, 7:00 - 10:00 pm, Wake Center, Rm. 2 There are seeds of creativity in all of us and fiber arts provide a vehicle to identify and exercise that creativity. We'll discuss adapting, improvising, making rules and other ways to stretch creativity.

# **Upcoming Quilting Events**

#### August 14 - September 21: OFF THE WALL - ART TO WEAR

An invitational exhibition of wearable art in all media. American Museum of Quilts and Textiles, 60 So. Market Street, San Jose.

#### **August 23: QUILTING BY THE SEA**

Santa Monica Quilt Guild. First Methodist Church, 1008 11th Street. Quilts, dolls, silent auction, Guild Mercantile, food. For Information send long SASE to S.M.Q.G., P.O. Box5541, Santa Monica, CA 90409.

#### August 30-31: MOUNTAIN TREASURES IX QUILT SHOW, "PANDA-MONIUM"

Presented by The Busy Bears Quilt Guild. Masonic Lodge, big Bear. Contact Montie Curtis, P.O. Box 1275, Sugarloaf, CA 92386 (909) 585-7945.

#### September 13-14: AUTUMN SPLENDOR CITRUS BELT QUILT SHOW

National Orange Show Events Center, Damus Bldg. 689 S.E. St., San Bernadino, CA. For information: P.O. Box 7489, Redlands, CA 92375 or call (909) 820-1797 or E-mail: jdeor@discover.net.

#### September 25-28 and October 2-5: THE BEST OF THE VALLEY

Third annual regional quilt show featuring the 1996 Hoffman Challenge winners, Internationally recognized quilter/teacher, Velma McCabe and vendor mall. Tulare Historical Museum, 444 West Tulare St., Tulare, CA. For information or entry form call (209) 686-9152.

#### September 25 - October 26: GRAND SLAM! 20th CENTURY BASEBALL QUILTS

An exhibition of baseball quilts, guest curated by Heather Urquhart. American Museum of Quilts and Textiles, 60 So. Market Street, San Jose.

#### September 27: QUILTED KEEPSAKES

Valley Quitlmakers 9th Annual Show. Los Angeles Equestrian Center, 480 Riverside Drive, Burbank. Antique and contemporary quilts, toys, quilt auction, vendor mall. For information: Barbara Thorton (818) 886-4021 or Nance Crawford (818) 349-3901

# September 27: QUILTING THEN AND NOW

Presented by the Desert Winds Quilt Guild in conjunction with Hesperia Days. Hesperia Senior Center, 9333 "E" Street. Info: Lori Hovey (760) 868-1537.

# October 3 - 4: IN SEARCH OF COUNTRY QUILTS

Fallbrook Quilt Guild. Fallbrook Presbyterian Church, 463 S. Stage Road, Fallbrook. Info: Sara Sandor (619) 723-3155.

# **Biography -** Written by our roving reporter, Connie Stone

### FAITH HUXLEY

Faith is new to quilting, and I would like to be the first to predict that within five years she will be a prize winner, and will be standing at the podium showing us slides and quilts.

Faith and I first met at SBCC, where we were both enrolled in a photography class. She went on to specialize in black and white, infra-red photography, and to win many prizes. She is also a well known, prize winning fine artist, and she graduated last year with an AA in graphic arts, from SBCC.

I can take the credit for introducing her to quilting, as she would ooh and aah and complement me on my first stumbling efforts at piecing. She can hardly wait to learn all the techniques needed to be able to produce art quilts. . . she has truly found her medium.

She is a native of Massachusetts, has lived in Connecticut, Rhode Island and New York, and has been in SB for 14 years, where she plans to stay. Faith has two grown sons who live on the east coast and a daughter in Oregon. At present, her faithful companion is a very loyal black cocker spaniel, named "Woofer."

# **Coming Attractions**

# September 10: Beverly Soderlund Roesinke

What does a judge look for? Beverly is a former guild member and popular teacher now living in North Carolina. She is a frequent judge at quilt shows, and she will share with us the elements she looks for in award win-

ning quilts. She will show slides of her own quilts and other quilts which are judges favorites.

September 11: Workshop

Curved pieced vest. Learn easy-to-make curved seams. You will cut curves but sew straight seams to make a one-of-a-kind vest and machine quilt with decorative threads. This is a great addition to any wardrobe.

October: Coastal Quilters Challenge

Women: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly! Quilts should be 36"x 36" depicting this theme and a star should be on the front of the quilt(appliquéd, pieced, quilted, part of the fabric, big or small). I have reports of finished quilts...what stage is yours in? Call me for information: Susan Cochran 965-1437

# Quilt Books Wanted

I am looking for two books.
The quilts of Tennessee, by
Ramsey and Waldvogel, and
Better Homes & Gardens,
American Heritage Quilts.
Call Wanda Livernois
at 962-4247.

# **Satellite News**

A new eveing satellite group, the Evening Stars, has recently been formed. We now have ten satellite groups in action. These groups usually have twelve or less members, so joing one is a wonderful way to make new friends in the Guild. If you are interested in joining a group, please call Ruth Walters at 687-2709.

# Coastal Quilters,

No other Guild will compare with Coastal Quilters. You have meant so much to me and always will. Thank you for the fabric car with the license to quilt. What beautiful fabric. I shall make a point of getting some of each in my appliqué that I will be working on the rest of my life! Ha!

You were all so very special to do this for me. Was I ever surprised!

I am planning on you all coming to see me and "Crazy Ladies." I am very easy to find. Just down PCH to Channel Road which ends at San Vincente and 7th, turn right to 519 San Vincente Blvd. #a, Santa Monica, CA 90402. Phone # later.

Love you all, Lee Carlson

# Refreshments

Please sign-up to bring refreshments whenever you can. We have a very large group and would appreciate at least 6 volunteers each month. You can bring whatever type of beverage you like.

We only have 2 volunteers for September at this time, please signup at the refreshment table.

Refreshments for August were provided by the following members:

Janet Larson

Lora Martin

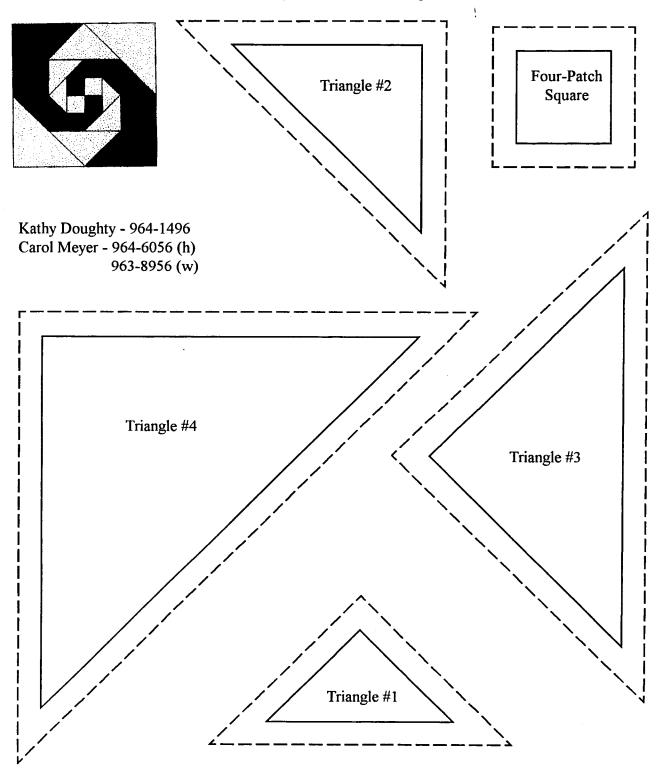
Marilyn Martin

Traci Hilden-Cope

Thank You!!!

# **Amish Snail's Trail**

What would an Amish Snail look like? This is one of my favorite blocks, let's try it in Amish colors! Chose one solid fabric from the Amish palate and solid black. Cut two of each pattern from each fabric. Starting with the four squares, sew the four-patch in the middle. Then sew the smallest triangles on each edge of the square, with same colors on opposing sides, checking with the picture to make sure your trail is swirling in the right direction. Repeat with the next size-up triangles. Do the same with two more sets of triangles and you are done! Final square is 8 ½" x 8 ½".



# Save Your Empty Spools!!!

The University Art Museum has asked that we save empty thread spools for a children's art project. The spools will be used for wheels for Lunar Land Rovers, so any size or shape will do, since the kids will be providing the imagination. You may drop the spools off at Kathy Pierce's store, Blue Island Quilts, 5140-B Hollister (in the Magnolia Center). Look for the basket on the counter. Or you may call Pat Yamada at 967-0938.

#### **NEW Members:**

Please welcome these quilters into our guild. Be sure to add their names to your directory.

Becchio, Jocelyn	684-2657
4402 B Catlin Circle, Carpinteria, CA 93013	(B.D.3/10)
Cesik, Kathleen	964-0368
5020 Sungate Ranch Rd., Santa Barbara, CA 93	111 (B.D. 4/6)
Swan, Susie	646-4443
5025 Thacher Rd., Ojai, CA 93023	(B.D. 3/7)
Sanders, Nikki	962-8179
801 Garden St., Santa Barbara, CA 93101	(B.D. not given)

# **Change of Address:**

P O BOX 315, Goleta, CA 93116

Fleischman, Jane

Palmer, Susan 687-1667 2767 Miradero Dr. #F, Santa Barbara, CA 93105

# **Library Reservation Form**

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Note A through	M titles will be in Library at April, June, August, October

and December Guild meetings. N through Z titles will be in Library at May,

July September and November Guild meetings.

# **Thanks for Helping!**

"Many very grateful thanks to the following guild members who so generously spent part of their July 4th holiday helping me, and the guild, at the Stow House with the Opportunity Quilt. They answered numerous questions from a very impressed and interested public, and I could not have accomplished this project without them: Traci Hilden-Cope, Gladys Brown, Linda Cassirer, Suzy Carter, Peg Gard and Harlene Bailey, Connie Stone, Nola Ferguson and Nancy King.

Diana Iler Oleta Bennett Special Events Committee

#### August

964-4348

(B.D. not given)

- 16 Helena Kennedy
- 16 Tini McCabe
- 17 Mary Blayblock
- 23 Nancy Reifenbery
- 25 Marty Frolli
- 26 Lynn Laughlin
- 27 Debra Rodgers
- 28 Cathy Rampton
- 29 Ingred Bergere
- 29 Pat Stanovich

#### September

- 1 Carol Farmer
- 1 Joyce Antrim-Sos
- 1 Charlene Garfinkle
- 4 Joanne Coulter
- 5 Doris Gilman

### **Coastal Quilters Guild**

Web Page Address: http://www.west.net/nonprof/quilt Membership

Guild meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm at Samarkand Community Center, 2550 Treasure Drive, Santa Barbara, CA. Please carpool, parking is limited. Coastal Quilters Guild of Santa Barbara and Goleta, CA 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.

#### New Members and Membership Renewals

Mail your Membership form, check or Money order for \$25, payable to Coastal Quilters Guild, Inc.

P.O. Box 6341, Santa Barbara, CA 93160

Attention: Membership

#### Coast Lines Newsletter is a monthly publication

Deadline for newsletter articles is the last Wednesday of each month for the following issue. Send Newsletter articles to my home, Attention: Newsletter.

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If you're visiting the Solvang area on a weekday afternoon, be sure to visit the FABRIC BARREL/Shelbi Ranch, downstairs at 435 First Street in Solvang (the building with the water wheel). The Shelbi Ranch (or one of its subsidiary companies) manufactures clothing in Los Angeles. They're selling their bolt end fabrics at the FABRIC BARREL. There's not a huge selection, but it is excellent quality fabric — not all cottons. We're told the stock changes regularly.

Be prepared to cut your own yardage. This location is primarily used for shipping. They're "NOT in the fabric business." Hours are usually 1:00-4:00, Monday through Friday; closed on weekends and holidays. If you want to make sure they'll be open before you go, call 693-5000. LORNA MORCK



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