

South Bay Quilters Guild

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April 2010

Guild Meeting on April 20 at 7:00 P.M. doors open at 6:00 pm
St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach

President's Corner

Julie Limbach-Jones

310/372-3889



The March meeting had a lot to offer and I hope everyone went home with a new bit of knowledge or inspiration for a project. Personally, I'm excited about the round-robin. I've never participated in one before, not wanting to hold anyone up if I was unable to complete a round, but in this case we are responsible only to ourselves, but still get the challenge of not knowing what the quilt will look like until the last month!

What a nice celebration we had to wrap-up our successful 2010 Quilt Show. Be sure to remember everything you liked about the show and bring your suggestions to the April 27th Quilt Show 2011 Brainstorming meeting at Hamilton Adult School. 2011 Chair Jean Newton is asking for everyone to give their input to help kick off the planning—it is only a ONE MEETING commitment. But you'll have the opportunity to be on the committee too if you'd like!

I am continually impressed with the generosity of our guild members! Our contributions to the Million Pillowcase challenge got a great boost this month from JoAnn Cope with 13 pillowcases, Karen Yarrow with 10 and Nadine Kirk and I one each. Check the progress on AP&Q's website www.allpeoplequilt.com/millionpillowcases. And Community Services Chair Mary Shadbourne was pleased with the turnout at the last sweatshop. Stop by Hamilton Adult School on the 2nd Tuesday of the month and be part of an amazingly productive evening of sandwiching, stitching and turning. It is an impressive feat!

Spring is here and what better way to celebrate it than joining us for a Saturday at the South Coast Botanic Gardens for their 50th anniversary on April 17th. We will have a booth displaying garden-inspired quilts and promoting our organization. If you'd like to help out for an hour or so at this event, demonstrating quilting or just talking with the attendees and answering questions about quilts, please let me know.

Finally, during April and May, our nominating committee will be seeking out candidates to run for our various elected officers for the 2010-2011 Guild year. Serving on the Board is a great way to enrich your SBQG experience. Look at the list of positions in our bylaws, pick up the phone and call one of the nominating committee members to volunteer!

See you at Guild, Julie

Programs

Carolee Schuegraf

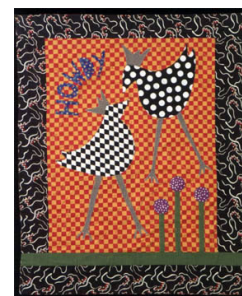
Speaker :

Gwen Marston

The world-renowned traditional quiltmaker and author Gwen Marston is our speaker for April.

Gwen's remarkable career ranges from traditional quilt techniques to free-form art quilts. Her lecture will help inspire the designer in all of us!

Gwen is one of the grand dames of quilting. Both beginners and experts, traditional quilters and art quilters will enjoy her lecture. Gwen's long career in quilting includes teaching internationally, authoring 21 books, writing for several magazines, exhibiting her quilts, and more. Folk art styles rank very high in Gwen's traditionally pieced and appliquéd work. There has been a lot of excitement about Gwen's visit to our guild. Her two workshops are almost full!



Workshops

Claudia Gomez
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April 20 Gwen Marston 19th Century Folk Art Applique

This class is based on 19th Century Folk Art Applique quilts and is illustrated with my own quilts. Students will discover how easy and how much fun it is to create their own original lively quilts. Attitude and approach will be covered along with Gwen's easy techniques for designing and making these playful quilts. This class is good for beginners and advanced quilters alike and students should be well into the project by day's end.



April 21 Gwen Marston Liberated Baskets

Illustrated with Gwen's quilts, students in this class will learn to make several different Liberated Baskets using Gwen's "easy-as-pie and always charming" methods. Good for beginning or advanced, traditional or art quilter. Quilters will leave class with a quilt top in tow. Learn Gwen's easy as pie techniques for making knock-out quilts.



May 19—Colorful Tea Cozy Workshop

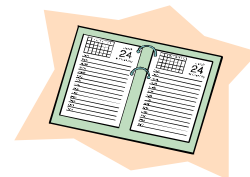
Due to the success of LaVerne Owen-Barakat's Project Bag workshop we will have another Ten Dollar Workshop in May. Claudia Gomez will be sharing her COLORFUL techniques for making a Tea Cozy. Ten dollars will include the basic tea cozy pattern. Calling all tea aficionados: We would like to display your adorned teapot at the fashion show this fall. What a perfect opportunity to show your creativity. Claudia will teach the basic construction of the tea cozy and it will be up to you to EMBELLISH it.



Date: May 19, 2010
Location: Luella's Quilt Basket
Time: 9am-3pm



Guild Calendar



- Apr 13 2nd Tuesday of every month; Sweatshop. 7:00 to 9:00 pm at Hamilton School .
- Apr 20 Guild Meeting St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach at 7:00 pm.
- Apr 20 Workshop at Palos Verdes Library 701 Silver Spur Road, Rolling Hills at 9am-3pm
- Apr 21 Workshop at Luella's 1512 Aviation, Redondo Beach at 9am-3pm
- Apr 27 Quilt Show Brainstorming at Hamilton School at 7:00pm.
- Apr 30 Newsletter Deadline
- May 4 Guild Board mtg at Coco's in Manhattan Village Mall. Business meeting begins at 6:30pm. All members are welcome.

Come Dine with guest speaker Gwen Marston.

Please meet us at Gina Lee's Restaurant for our pre-guild dinner. Gina Lee's is located in the same shopping center as Von's, on Palos Verdes Blvd. in Redondo Beach. The food is delicious, and come meet new people. Please join us. It is just a few blocks to the meeting.

Gina Lee's Bistro

211 Palos Verdes Blvd.
Redondo Beach, CA 90277-5820
(310) 375-4462

ginaleesbistro.blogspot.com

Please arrive by 5 p.m. Tuesday, April 20, 2010

RSVP: Carollee 310.265.9796

2010 NOMINATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Helen Carson – Member-at-Large (Chair)
 Marie Cortez-Member-at-Large
 Bonnie Hutchins – Member-at-Large
 Carol Thomas-Board Representative



At the April general meeting, the Nomination Committee will distribute to members attending, a nomination ballot listing the offices. Any member may submit a name for nomination, PROVIDED they have the CONSENT of the individual. Board officers and Auxiliary members of the board who have served two consecutive terms in one office are not eligible to seek another term; however, they may run for another office. You may also nominate yourself.

Anyone seeking the offices of President or Vice-President must have served on the board. In addition, anyone seeking the office of Quilt Show Chair; must have served on the Quilt Show Committee.

Kindly review the duties of the offices contained within our bylaws.

The Nomination Committee will present the slate of officers at the May general meeting, at which time; nominations will be “open from the floor”. Again, should you choose to nominate an individual, you MUST have their consent.

Anyone wishing to be considered for an “Appointed” office or an “Auxiliary” position on the board, please give me your name and the position you are interested in. Once the elections are over in June, we will provide the appropriate officer your name for consideration.

Read me a Quilt Julie Maas



I would like to thank Kay Salm for donating 2 quilts this past month. Although she did not make them herself, she bought them and donated them. Thank you Kay. The children will love them. Unfortunately those were the only quilts that were turned in for Read Me a Quilt. Now that the quilt show is behind us, please take some time and make quilts and find books that go with the quilts. There is as great a need as ever. The children truly appreciate the quilts and so many respond by not believing that the quilt is theirs TO KEEP. Having something of their own is very important to these foster children. Please help. Turn in a couple quilts with books in April. You will feel good.

Julie Maas

2010 Quilt Show Final

Income

Admissions - Adv tkt	1,200.00
Admissions - Sat-Sun	7,463.00
Total Admissions	8,663.00
Auction	3,523.12
Donation	150.00
DVDs	562.00
Interest Income	8.00
Op Quilt Tix Sponsors	155.00
Op Quilt Ticket Sales	6,052.00
Pins	389.00
Raffle baskets income	946.00
Vendors	8,035.00
Total Income	28,483.12

Expense

2010 Opportunity Quilt	327.75
2011 Opportunity Quilt	226.58
Acquisitions	272.83
Auction Expense	440.00
City License	70.00
DVD expense	399.75
Entrance	15.67
Facilities	9,280.00
Food	123.21
Hanging	111.79
Hoffmann Quilts	248.65
Misc expense	0.00
Opp Quilt Tickets	471.82
Pins Expense	631.87
Pipe & drape	2,500.00
Programs	305.42
Publicity	1,973.19
Raffle baskets	72.94
Sales Tax	383.35
Security	608.00
Signs	131.97
Staffing	58.82
Vendor expenses	93.22
Total Expense	18,746.83
Profit	9,736.29

Julie's Fantasy Garden, as the theme for this year's block.

It's time to thank our wonderful President Julie Limback-Jones for her work and achievements of 2008-2010 by creating wonderful quilt blocks for her. Blocks are made by ALL members of the guild. The quilt includes everyone from beginner to master quilters. Julie has chosen "Flowers" or "Julie's Fantasy Garden" for her theme.



To make it simple we will focus on flora; any flower! We are going to exclude bugs, animals and tools. The blocks should be 6 inch finished, so 6 1/2 inch unfinished. If you are doing an appliqué block, please start with a 7 1/2 inch background and don't cut the block down as we will cut them to the proper size. The background of the block should be green. The Guild will supply a 7 1/2 inch Green background. The flower should be set on Point. Please sign your block, in ink, on the front, but be sure your signature is within the 6 1/2" area. If you are machine embroidering a block, please remove the stabilizer. Your block can be pieced, appliqued, foundation pieced, or embroidered. Feel free to embellish with buttons or beads.

Color:

Background: Light Green, THE GUILD IS SUPPLYING at 7 1/2" in block. Pick up yours at the Guild meeting, along with an applique pattern, or paper pieced pattern...or use your favorite.

Flowers: Brights: Purple, turquoise, orange, fuchia, yellow, etc. (Julie doesn't really care for pastels.)

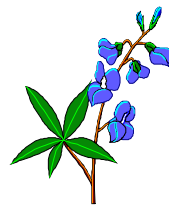
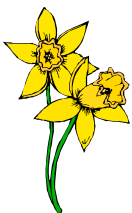
Julie's favorite flower is the Gerbera Daisy. She tends to like flowers that are bright colors and "happy" flowers. She likes both whimsical and realistic flowers. She likes Jacobean applique also.

But also, we will give her signature bricks: Each Guild member should also contribute one Signature Brick...come by our table and we will have pens and "bricks" to sign. (A rectangle piece of fabric.) You can embroider your signature if you would like too.

The blocks are due by the June 2010 meeting.

We will have an information table set up at the April and May meetings. Stop by, sign your "Brick", pick up a pattern, look at books for ideas, sample blocks, pick up the background fabric, or if piecing, pick up some green fabric.

Any questions, please call Carollee Schuegraf, 310.265.9796. As VP for programs, it is part of my responsibility to coordinate the "gift" for the president at the end of her term. First year (last year) is fat quarters, second year is blocks. If you can't attend the meeting, please call me and I will mail you the background, and a pattern. I hope everyone will contribute to show Julie our appreciation for her two years as President.



Community Services

Mary Shadbourne 310-326-4953



Community Services' "Sweatshop" meets every second Tuesday at Hamilton Adult School, 2606 West 182nd Street, Torrance, Room 20, 7-9pm. Bring scissors and/or a sewing machine. Our goal is to sandwich about eighty quilts each sweatshop. Next sweatshop is Tuesday, April 13, 2010. Join us! We have a ton of fun.

Last month's Sweatshop was a huge success--seventeen people, and nine sewing machines. In addition to sandwiching the requisite eighty quilts, we pinned a bed-size quilt, readying it for machine quilting. I will be bringing it to the April guild meeting for someone to take home for quilting.

Did you see, at last month's guild meeting? Approximately twenty-five pillowcases were turned in to Julie. She is having them photographed, counted, and readied for donation in the near future. Also, note: Read Me A Quilt and Quilts for Our Wounded progress elsewhere in this newsletter.

This recently from Rainbow Services:

"...Your gift of 8 handmade bed-sized quilts... helps women and children recovering from lives of trauma. For clients served by Rainbow Services, the support of their community brings a sense of belonging and aids their healing.

"As you know, many of Rainbow's clients come to us with very little. As they struggle emotionally to develop lives free from violence, they also struggle financially, and the items that you donate offer aid and comfort to them as they start their new lives from scratch. We thank you on behalf of those women and children whose lives you have touched."

How heartwarming... how inspiring. Thanks to all of you who dedicate some of your time each month to help in our Community Services efforts.

MEMBERSHIP

PAT BRYAN 310-547-3824

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

It was a pleasure to welcome 3 new members at our March meeting. A warm welcome to: Carole Harding, Eleanor Johnson, and Sylvia Riethmeier. Don't forget to look for our new members at the next meeting and introduce yourselves. Wear your name tags to help them out - they don't know everybody yet!



MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY UPDATE

At the March 16th meeting, we distributed copies of Membership Directory Update #2. This contains information about new members and any other changes since Update #1 was published. We will have copies of both Update #1 and #2 available at the April meeting in case you still need one. If you need one mailed, just let me know.

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP NOMINATIONS

At the March meeting the membership approved the Lifetime Membership program. If you are interested in nominating a member for this honor, nomination forms will be available at the Membership table. The form will also be available on our website under the category Membership Forms. Nominations should be turned in to the Membership chairman (Pat Bryan) as soon as possible, but no later than the May 18th meeting. Lifetime Memberships will be presented at the June business meeting. If you have questions, please just give me a call or email.

GUEST/NEWMEMBER HOSTING

At almost every meeting we have guests and/or new members who are completely unfamiliar with everything "going on" at our meetings and have "tons" of questions. If you would like to help out with showing them around, please let us know when you sign-in. Your commitment would only be for that one time, and we never know how many we may need. Thanks very much!

And Finally . . . I made a mistake on my own email address in the last directory update.

My correct email address is: pat-bryan@att.net

Our MARCH door prize will be a \$10.00 gift certificate for THE COTTON SHOP.

See you at Guild!

Intra-Guild

Stephania Bommarito

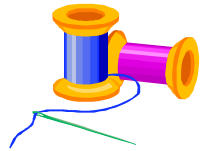
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April birthdays – Once again we'll ask you to stand and introduce yourself. With so many new faces in the guild, this is a great opportunity to everyone to meet you! Please don't be shy . . . we want to wish you a happy birthday! And remember, we always have gifts for a lucky few.

UFO project – Our UFO project is winding down. At our June meeting we want to recognize those of you that have been diligently trying to finish those UFOs over the last 21 months! Some of you have been busy, busy, busy. Others have finished one or two but we know that ALL of you are pleased with your finished projects and the fact that they are, indeed, FINISHED. But don't stop now, there's still time to push a few more across the finish line!

Our Round Robin Challenge is off and running with 33 participants! The project will be all yours from start to finish. Try to keep up each month so that we'll all have finished quilt tops to share in June. Of course, as I write that, it means I have less than 2 weeks to actually get mine started! We hope to stretch your creative skills and encourage you to "step out of the box" on this one! The rules are simple and flexible. We'll have lots of "techniques" in the TECHNIQUE BASKET. Who knows? We may even add a few new ones this month! Draw your next technique at the April meeting and keep working on your masterpiece.

As you know, we drew the technique of Seminole Patchwork for all participants to incorporate in their quilts. That caused quite a stir as many aren't familiar with Seminole patchwork. Stephania has sent out some instructions and links for your use. Have fun with it!

Sunshine and Shadows

Our congratulations to Pat Bryan arrival of her granddaughter Sabrine Amira on March 26.

Our condolences to these members and former members who have recently lost a loved one:

Carol Thomas's mother passed away Friday, March 12th.

Cindy Murray's father passed away in mid-March.

Former member Maureen Forster's sister, Rita Owens, passed away on Friday, March 12th in Nebraska. She had been battling cancer for several years.

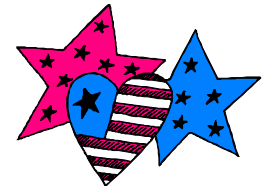
Former member Ritsuka Kamon's father recently passed away.

Nadine Kirk's mother passed away on April 6th.

Delia Bianchi's son passed away on March 16.

Patchwork Star Reporter

LaVerne Owen-Barakat



SBQG April 2010 Patchwork Star is Don Bunting. Don has been sewing since he was 7 yrs old. In Aristic, Maine in the 40's Don made knee pads (called Knees Ez) for farmers and were used by potato pickers.

Don moved to California in 1954. He is married to Diana and has three grown children and ten grandchildren. Don worked for AMC starting in 1961 and retired in 1985 and started working for Chrysler in 1986 after AMC was acquired. His position at AMC and Chrysler was director of warranty administration. He also taught repair processes to repairmen as well as developer for a computer program for warranty cost control.

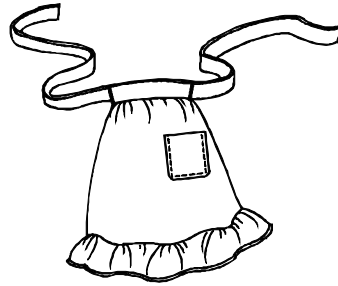
His hobby for many years was woodworking. He became a master cabinetmaker and had his own workshop. He taught woodworking classes for Rockler International, which included dove tailing, tool sharpening, and lathe turning. He also has made wood music instruments including ukuleles. When he injured his hand and could no longer work with wood, he discovered quilting.

Don has learned most of his quilting by way of books, and his wife has also influenced him. He started teaching three years ago and now teaches at Joanne's. His long arm machine comes in handy for his "Quilts for Valor" projects. He has been a member since September 2009 so we can look forward to Don's contributions and talent for many years to come.

Fashion Show 2010

“Your Grandmother’s Apron”

Pam Overton
310-546-5990



We held our first committee meeting early in March and we’re off and running. The ideas were flowing and we believe we’ve come up with some fun ways for you to participate. Not only are we asking for garments and aprons in the Apron Challenge, we’re also going to give you an opportunity to learn to make a tea cozy. Please see Claudia Gomez’s workshop article. She’ll be teaching a \$10 workshop on tea cozies in May. Perhaps you’ll allow us to use/share your tea cozy at the Fashion Show this fall!

The committee is looking for old teapots that you no longer want/need. We’re planning to use them for centerpieces to give away to one lucky guest at each table. We’re also collecting door prizes – quilt or tea-related items, tea books, aprons, tea cozies, etc. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the intra-guild table.

We’re researching possible locations for the Fashion Show. Any ideas? Pass them along to anyone on the committee. Interested in joining the team? We would love to have your help. Our next meeting will be Saturday, May 1, 9:45 at Catalina Coffee, 126 No. Catalina Avenue, Redondo Beach.

Pam Overton, Stephania Bommarito, Carol Berg, Carollee Schuegraf, Claudia Gomez, Lois Grover, Florence Tebbets.

Quilts for Wounded Soldiers

Arlene Zobrist

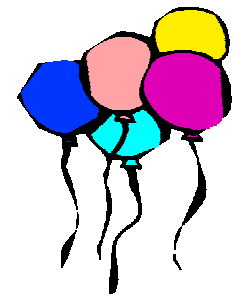
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This month 7 quilts were sent to the Iraq combat hospital. I’ve been alternating between Afghanistan and Iraq so both combat ICUs receive our quilts. The medical staff in Iraq sent several pictures of the quilts being received, including the one made by June Stewart being held up by their medics – a special “show & tell” from Iraq! As you can see by the smiles on their faces, the quilts give the staff something positive to use in their patient care, adding a pleasant aspect to their tough jobs too.

Thanks to all who are supporting this program. As one doctor said, the quilts are “the highest award his/her nation can give . . . a token of thanks of a grateful nation for our shared national treasure, our soldiers.”

- Requirements for the quilts:**
- Size:** 48” by 78” (stretcher size)
 - All cotton, no synthetics (*including batting, 80/20 blend is acceptable*)**
 - Appropriate patriotic theme/design, generic for all branches of service**
 - Optional: Pillowcase, 20” x 30”, coordinating fabric (*good way to use your stash and have fun using the “sausage” method*)**



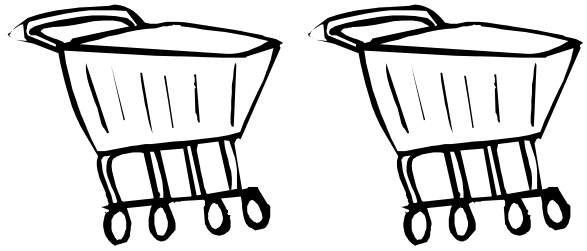
April Birthdays

Margaret Williams	4/2
Judy Platus	4/2
Bonnie Winters	4/3
Eleanor Johnson	4/5
Helen Lu	4/10
Aliene Paboojian	4/10
Cindy Curran	4/11
Dorothy Akiyama	4/13
Janet Akman	4/17
Jo Ann Cope	4/17
Ann Sadler	4/17
Suzanne Mann	4/19
Dee Dee Kelley-Judge	4/20
Delia Bianchi	4/21
Patti Stewart	4/22
Raylene Christmas	4/25
Janet Brown	4/25
Grace Brumbelow	4/26
Patricia Bryan	4/26
Gerri Childress	4/28
Carol Craft	4/30



Scrap Bag

International Quilt Festival Long Beach is looking for people to help work at the event. If you are interested the webpage: www.quilts.com/worktheshows/LongBeach will be ready May 20th or you can email questions to: work-theshow@quilts.com or quiltangel@quilts.com.



Houston, TX- Entries sought for "Still We Rise Again: Quilts for New Orleans"

This is a juried exhibit featuring quilts that celebrate the unwavering spirit of New Orleans, the Gulf Coast, themes of rebirth, renewal and the recovery of a city devastated five years ago by Hurricane Katrina. **Houston, TX-** Entries sought for "Still We Rise Again: Quilts for New Orleans" Quilts will premiere at International Quilt Market & Festival October 30-November 7, 2010. (Other exhibit locations TBD.)

Entry deadline July 1, 2010. You may submit up to two entries for consideration. Jurors: Jennifer Gilbert & Martha Sielman. For Entry form e-mail: m_walter@charter.net or visit www.aquiltersgarden.com (Exhibit to benefit appraiser scholarship & conservation workshop for damaged quilts) Questions contact curator Mary Walter 617-480-6360

Torrance High School will be performing "The Quilters" the weekends of April 30-May 2 and May 7-9.

I am interested in having a quilt made for me. I have all of the material but not the talent. Do you have any members who do this type of work? If so, please contact me with their names and phone numbers. It is a memory quilt for my adopted daughter. Thank you for your help. 310-374-6768

The firm Joanna Burke Art Consultants, Inc. is preparing artwork concepts for a children's hospital. We love quilts and have commissioned many for our healthcare projects over the past 30 years. Our project consists of these seven themes, each characterized by bright, saturated colors: Floral Gardens, Nature in LA, Valleys/Agriculture, Mountains, Deserts, Beaches. We are thinking about a variety of uses for quilts of various sizes. Commission for new work is also a possibility. Please let your friends and guild members know that we are interested in seeing images of their works. Email to: info@joannaburke.com. Mail to: Joanna Burke Art Consultants, 685 Venice Blvd, Studio 3, Venice, CA 90291.

The American Quilt Study Group (AQSG), a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving the history of quilts and quilting, is turning 30! We invite you to join the celebration by participating in a nationwide block challenge called "30s for 30" (see details below). For every 30 blocks received, one person's name will be drawn to win those blocks. To learn more about AQSG and our annual Seminar, please visit our website at www.americanquiltstudygroup.org. Happy quilting!

30s for 30 QUILT BLOCK CHALLENGE

- Blocks must be 12-1/2" square (to finish to a 12-inch block) and made of either 1930s reproduction fabrics or vintage 1930s fabrics. Fabrics must be 100% cotton. *Please prewash/preshrink all fabrics.*
- Blocks may be any design and any color combination, in keeping with the 1930s fabrics.
- Send your blocks to the address below, along with a donation of \$3 for the first block, and \$1 for each block thereafter sent at the same time. Block donations from groups are welcome. Any funds collected in excess of those needed to complete the project will be donated to the AQSG Endowment fund.
- The blocks will be photographed and the photos will be posted on the AQSG website, along with the maker's name and state (or country).
- Blocks will be compiled into sets of thirty. At Seminar 2010 in Minneapolis (Oct. 14-17), we will have a drawing for the various sets. For each block that you send, your name will be entered once into the drawing. You do not need to be present to win.
- Deadline for submitting blocks is Oct. 1, 2010.

Send your blocks and payment (checks made payable to AQSG) to: **AQSG '30s for 30** c/o Paula Pahl, 9204 Sugarstone Circle, Highlands Ranch, CO 80130. Be sure to include your name, address and phone number. Questions? Contact Paula at the address above or email: paulapahl@q.com; phone: 303-204-2821.

Upcoming Events

- April 9 - 11** Best of the Valley Best of the Valley Quilt Show April 9-11, 2010. Fri/Sat 9am-5pm, Sunday 9am-4pm
Held at the McDermont Field House, 365 N. Sweet Brier; Lindsay, CA. Show of quilts, wearable art and dolls. Juried and judged show, with over \$2500 in awards. Hoffman Challenge, vendor mall, on-site food.
Featured artist: Anna Koelewyn
Email Contact: psaada@aol.com
Website: www.botvquilts.com
- April 10 - 1** SCCQG general meeting Church of the Nazarene 1307 E. Citrus Ave. Redlands, Ca. 92374
Email Contact: [host guild: citrus belt quilters](mailto:hostguild@citrusbeltquilters.com)
- April 24 - 25** Seven Sisters Quilt Show Saturday & Sunday 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Alex Madonna Expo Center at 100 Madonna Rd., San Luis Obispo, CA. Over 40 vendors; Hoffman challenge-Wearables & accessories Trunk: Bus Incentive. \$7.00 one day & \$10.00 2 day pass.
Email Contact: lboater@sbcglboal.net
Website: www.aqgcc.org
- May 1 - 2** TLC Quilters Biennial Quilt Show Saturday, May 1, 9:30 am to 5 pm; Sunday, May 2, 10 am to 4 pm.
Held at Covina Woman's Club, 128 S. San Jose Ave., Covina, Ca. The theme, "The Artist in Everyone," includes a display of members' quilts, Tea, Country Store, Vendors and an Opportunity Drawing of our quilt, "It's A Colorful World."
Email Contact: lauragraniteware@yahoo.com
Website: tlcquilters.org
- May 1 - 2** Camarillo Quilters Association Quilt Show "Quilting By The Sea" Quilt Show, Ventura, CA. Featuring over 200 beautiful handmade quilts, a sewing machine raffle courtesy of Barons Fabrics, mini quilt silent auction, display of quilt challenge winners, Home of the Brave quilt, boutique, and leading quilt specialty vendors. Saturday and Sunday 10am to 5pm. Admission \$8. Seaside Park, Ventura County Fairgrounds, 10 Harbor Blvd., Ventura, CA. Advance ticket sales \$5 available at www.camarilloquilters.org.
Email Contact: bikemag@roadrunner.com
Website: www.camarilloquilters.org
- May 22 - 22** Antelope Valley Quilt Guild Come and visit members homes that have sewing studios on May 22, 2010. There will be a vendor mall at Lancaster City Park, silent auction, and a boutique. Our feature quilter will be Mary Brewer. Our opportunity quilt is name Flower Power. (80" x 100")
Email Contact: longarmdarla@yahoo.com
Website: [home tour 2010](http://home.tour.2010)
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SBQG Treasurer's Report for March 2010

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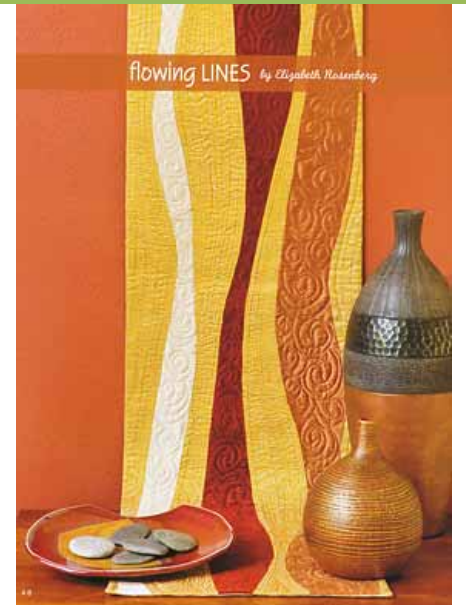
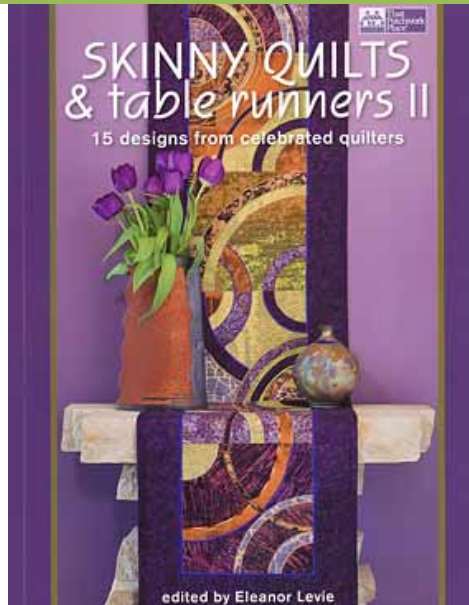
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Income

Amazon Earnings	42.75
Interest Income	1.92
Pin sales	159.00
Library	131.25
Membership	80.00
Workshop Fees	285.00
Total Income	699.92

Expense

Room rental	125.00
Sales tax	27.65
Library	118.01
Newsletter	54.42
Prog/Workshops	126.71
QS - sales tax	383.35
Total Expense	835.14

Net Income/Expense

(135.22)

Ending Balances

Checking	22,455.49
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Total	39407.91



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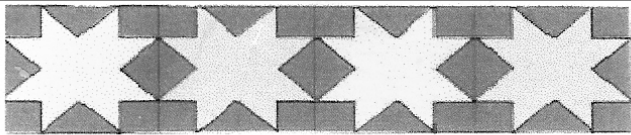
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AQS Show Des Moines, Iowa – October 4-10

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Luella's Quilt Basket

We have some great classes planned for the spring and summer. Our new class schedule will be available on our website soon. Join us for Class Preview Day on Saturday, April 17—receive a 10% discount on Class Fees.

Join us for our Spring Cleaning Sale on Saturday, April 24. Every bolt of fabric will be marked down. Other surprise discounts throughout the store!

Remember to save the date: The Southern California Quilter's Run is coming June 17-20 and 24-27

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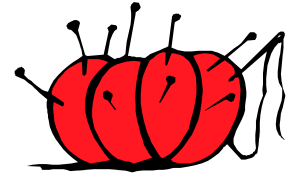
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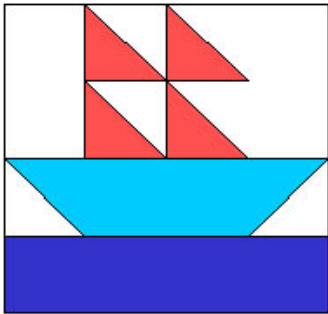
It's that time again! It's time to plan the next quilt show.

I know each of you has things you liked about this year's show, things you think we can do better and things you think we should try. To that end, we are having a brainstorming session to come up with ideas for the 2011 show. This will be a one time meeting commitment. The meeting will be held on April 27 at Hamilton School on 182nd Street at 7:00pm. We will need to learn which room we will be using.

There will be three simple rules for this meeting.

1. There are no bad ideas (the best ones will rise to the top).
2. All ideas go on the list and will be considered.
3. There will be no nay-saying.

I hope to see new faces at the meeting as well as those experienced with planning show. I am looking forward to a great show in 2011.



South Bay Quilters Guild
 P.O. Box 6115
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Guild Meeting:

April 20 at 7:00 p.m.

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church,
301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach

Reminders:

Wear your Name Tag

Invite a friend to the meeting

