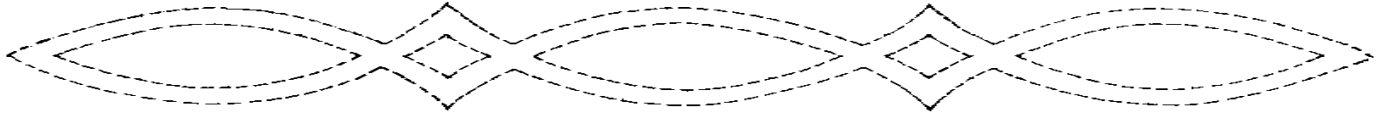


South Bay Quilters Guild

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President's Corner

Pam Overton

I'm looking forward to the upcoming year of guild activities. Thank you to all of the new and continuing board members who have stepped up to help conduct the business of the guild. As I'm sure you noticed at the June board recognition, it does "take a village" to help provide the speakers, workshops, and activities for the guild. Please give them your full support and remember . . . there's lots to do so we can always use an extra pair of hands to help!

Speaking of that, we are still in need of volunteers to fill several positions . . . Please contact me if you are willing to take on one of these positions.

Guild Auditor - Some accounting experience or background as a treasurer will help as this job entails reviewing the guild and quilt show accounting books for the past year to ensure that all the records are complete and accurate. In addition, we also do an annual audit of the storage facility. While that sounds daunting, it's really not. We can always enlist others to help sift and sort through to identify what is and isn't there!

Publicity - This involves putting free ads into the Beach Reporter, Easy Reader, and Daily Breeze each month to feature our speaker and workshop for that month. It's great publicity for the guild and does bring visitors and potential members to the guild meetings each month.

Intra-Guild - This can be as much or as little as you choose to make it. The general description is that the intra-guild coordinator(s) organize and facilitate a variety of guild activities - challenges, block exchanges, fabric exchanges, the UFO challenge, and more.

Quilt Show Chair - As you know, the quilt show is our major fund raiser for the year. With over 20 years of experience hosting a quilt show, we know what we're doing and how to do it. Your job as chair is simply to pull the team together and serve as their leader as it all unfolds. Perhaps the most daunting task is the opportunity quilt. This year I am proposing that we shift that task away from the quilt show chair so that he or she can focus on the show itself.

We need to get started on a quilt, so the board has decided to move forward on determining a quilt design and beginning the quilt. If you would like to help with the design, build block kits for the members to do, help put the quilt together, etc., please let me know. We already have some design ideas but we need for YOU to step up to join the **Opportunity Quilt Team**. This is a new approach, but I'm sure we can make it work. And, I hope that with the opportunity quilt off the table, someone with quilt show committee experience will step up to the job of quilt show chair! Ever the optimist . . .

Ten years ago when I first took the office of president of the guild my focus was on strengthening our team. The message then and now is still that we can do far more as a team than we can as individuals. Are you ready to join the team and pitch in to move the guild forward? It will be a fun and interesting journey,

Just a reminder that we are "dark" in July so that you can take time to enjoy the Long Beach International Quilt Festival - the classes, the vendors, and the quilts! If you haven't already purchased your ticket, you can pick one up at Luella's Quilt Basket or the Cotton Shop.

Guild Programs

Carollee Schuegraf

310.265.9796

Guild Meeting: August 17th

Speaker: Nadine Kirk

Reverse Applique Extravaganza

This August, our own Guild Member and award winning quilter Nadine Kirk will be treating us to a lecture and slide tour of contemporary and historic quilts that incorporate the technique of reverse appliqué. She'll also be sharing many of her show quilts from the Pacific International Quilt Show, American Quilting Society Show and the Road to California...More details in the August Newsletter. Call Claudia Gomez to sign up for a fun Reverse Appliqué Workshop

Read me a Quilt

Julie Maas

Ladies, it was a wonderful meeting with all of the quilts that were turned in for the CASA program. We had 14 quilts donated.

Thank you Sue Glass for her 3 quilts, Nadine Kirk turned in 4 quilts, Lois Grover turned in 2, Shirley Kline turned in 2, Joanne Stine turned in a quilt, as did Pat Bryan and one was a joint venture by Ethie Wilson and Gini Ozene. Every one of these quilts was special.

Summer is a perfect time to sit at your sewing machine and make more quilts for the children. Remember all of the fabrics that you have stashed away for a project that you can't even remember what it was? It is a perfect opportunity to make cheerful quilts using the fabrics. Quilts for girls or boys, young or old, they are all appreciated.

Thank you very much. I look forward to getting lots of quilts at our August meeting.



Guild Calendar



- July 14 Check with Mary Shadbourne, 310-326-4953
- July 30 Newsletter Deadline
- Aug 3 Guild Board mtg at Coco's in Manhattan Village Mall. Business meeting begins at 6:30pm. All members are welcome.
- Aug 17 Guild Meeting St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach at 7:00 pm.

2011 Quilt Show

Totals to date as of 6/30/2010

Income

Interest	1.68
Opp Quilt Ticket Sponsors	<u>50.00</u>
Total Income	51.68

Expense

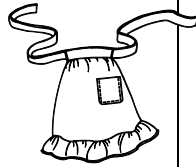
2011 Opportunity Quilt	350.00
Opp Quilt Tickets	<u>208.63</u>
Total Expense	558.63

Net income (Loss) (506.95)

Fashion Show 2010

"Your Grandmother's Apron"

Pam Overton 310-546-5990



As mentioned at the June meeting, we do have a location and date for the show. Mark your calendars for November 7th. We'll have a garment application and full details on cost and tickets in the August newsletter. We're looking forward to seeing your garments, accessories, and aprons at the fashion show.

Congratulations!!

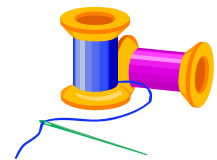
Congratulations to former member, Pat Yee, the grand prize winner for the Southern California Quilters Run. The grand prize included a Pfaff sewing machine and a quilting retreat for Pat and three of her friends!

Workshops

Claudia Gomez

cdgdesign@verizon.net

310-245-7564



There will be no workshop for the month of July.

August 18, 2010 – NEW breaking news—last month there was a change in the workshop schedule. Please note our new August guest artist: our own Nadine Kirk will be teaching a Reverse Appliqué Extravaganza! Sign up now because there are only a few spaces left.

September 22, 2010 - San Francisco textile artist Marcia Stein will be teaching a workshop called "Picture This". Turn your summer travel photos into a quilt! We will be learning Marcia's machine appliqué techniques to make a small quilt top using our own photo for inspiration.

August & September workshops will be held in the community room of Palos Verdes Library. Address: 701 Silver Spur Road, Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274



Sunshine & Shadows

Former guild member, Rosie Dahlin, has been admitted to hospice care. If you would like to send her a note or card her mailing address is:
 Rosie Dahlin
 18903 Patronella Avenue
 Torrance, CA 90504

Congratulations!!

Congratulations to Lois Grover's grand niece. She was recently awarded a scholarship to attend a two-month Debbie Allen and is enjoying a visit with her Grandmother.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Mary Shadbourne

310-326-4953



Our usual Hamilton facilities aren't available during the summer, so Janet Akman has graciously agreed to host our second Tuesday Sweatshops. Let's get together Tuesday, July 14, 2010 (7:00-9:00 P.M.) at 25329 Narbonne Avenue in Lomita. We'll sandwich a bunch of quilts and, as usual, have a lot of fun. Bring scissors and a chopstick, or a sewing machine.

We're also having daytime work parties--more casual, less "sweatful," at various members' homes. Call 310.326.4953 (Mary) if you'd like to be notified when these parties are scheduled.

Membership

Stephania Bommarito & Nancy Payne



Congratulations are in order! At the June meeting Honorary Service Awards were announced to deceased members Lorraine De Lao and Sandy Forman for all their contributions during the early years. Although no longer members due to health reasons, Doralee Uruburu and Bernadette Grinnell were awarded Lifetime Membership awards. Each of these four women was instrumental in helping in shape the guild that we now enjoy today. So many other individuals have given so much of their time and talents to make our guild a success. The South Bay Quilters Guild is blessed by so many helping hands!

Beginning with the August meeting, we will be accepting membership renewals for the 2010-2011 year. This year we are encouraging individuals to "Go Green" in two ways. First, renewals can be made online by accessing the members section and filling out the membership form. The second way is to have members receive a copy of the newsletter via email. At the June meeting, it was decided that guild members may receive a hard copy of the newsletter via the postal service for \$5 per year to help cover the cost of printing and postage.

The position of Membership Assistance is open. If you are interested in helping to greet and assist members checking in, please contact Stephania Bommarito. This is one fun way to get to know on another and help members to know where to go at the various tables.

We look forward to greeting and helping fellow members and new members beginning with the August meeting.

Scrap Bag

Antique Quilts for sale. I have a wide variety of antique quilts that I've collected over the years and it's time to find them a new home! Please contact me if you are interested in seeing the quilts. Luella Fournell (310) 798-1282.

New sewing table for sale. Lucky me! While attending the Home Machine Quilt Show in Salt Lake City in May, I became the lucky winner of a Roberts Sewing and Embroidery Table. I'm interested in selling it as I already have a sewing table. It's a Roberts 387-Q model and retails for \$899. Anyone interested? Contact Pam Overton (310) 546-5990 to make an offer. It actually arrived on my door step this week so it's ready and waiting for a new home!

Ann Perkins attended our quilt show a few years ago and was impressed by some children's quilts that were displayed. She remembers that the SBQG member who worked with those children was looking for donated machines for the children to use. She is ready to donate her 60's era Pfaff sewing machine and is looking for that person's name. Was that you? Interested? Ann can be reached at John2ANN@aol.com.



Thank You!

Many thanks to the nominating committee (Helen Carson, Carol Thomas, Marie Cortez, and Bonnie Hutchins) for the time and effort that they put into ensuring that we have a full slate of officers for the upcoming guild year.

Thanks also to Mary Ann Sereth and her Potluck set-up/clean-up team and to all of the members who brought the wonderful potluck spread that we ALL enjoyed at the June meeting.

Thanks, Pam



Happy July Birthdays

Naomi Ann "Nicki" Gold	7/3
Nadine Kirk	7/3
Lois Grover	7/10
Carol Berg	7/11
Mary Meadows	7/12
Mary Shadbourne	7/15
June Stewart	7/15
Helen Carson	7/15
Bonnie Hutchins	7/16
Anita Rising	7/16
Mary Howland	7/19
Dorothy Brown	7/21
Barbara Beer	7/21
Karen Yarrow	7/26



Quilts for Wounded Warriors

Arlene Zobrist 310-543-5302

Thanks to your continuing donations, in June we sent 6 quilts to Iraq and 6 to the busy field hospital in Southern Afghanistan that requested our help. All were received within a week of shipping and were deeply appreciated. They sent a few pictures of their staff displaying our quilts (interesting wallpaper).

I received a heartwarming email from a hospital Chaplain in Bagram, writing in behalf of a soldier who was severely wounded and not able to write himself. He was being sent home and received one of our quilts as a special gift to keep him warm on his flight home. She wrote "Thank you for providing this touch of comfort not only for the patient but my staff too. Thank you again and again for helping us take care of the Soldiers, Marines, Sailors & Airmen here at Bagram."

Someone who still likes to do hand embroidery asked if she could do some patriotic blocks for our quilts, and is now busily stitching star blocks which will add a nice personal touch. She was asked what they are for, and the man asking said his son is going to Afghanistan and he hopes he doesn't need one of our quilts, but it was good to know that people care enough to make these for our troops. I'll bring the embroidered blocks to Show & Tell when I get them.

One additional comment: Although our requirements say the design should be "generic for all branches of service," if you have fabric for a specific branch and want to make a service-specific quilt, I'm sure it will find a good home. The field hospital in Afghanistan supports a large Marine unit; we also know that both Balad and Bagram see a lot of Army and Marines; and according to the Chaplain, they see all branches of service.

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*)

PARLIAMENTARIAN 2010 Election Results



President	Pam Overton
Vice President	Carolee Schuegraf
Recording Secretary	Pat Bryan
Treasurer	Kay Salm
Newsletter Editor	Carol Berg
SCCQG Representative	Melanie Dreike
Membership Co-Chair	Stephania Bommarito
Membership Co-Chair	Nancy Payne
2011 Fashion Show Chair	Lois Grover
2012 Quilt Show Chair	
2012 Quilt Show Chair	Vivian Ruddy

In addition, serving on the 2010-2011 board are the following (who were elected last year).

2010 Fashion Show Chair	Pam Overton
2011 Quilt Show Chair	Jean Newton
2011 Quilt Show Treasurer	Kay Salm

The following appointments were approved at the July 6th board meeting.

Community Service	Mary Shadbourne
Facilities	Karen Rakita
Hospitality – June dinner	Mary Ann Sereth
Hospitality – Monthly meeting	June Stewart
Librarian	Dawn Cynamon
Parliamentarian	Nancy Jengo
Travel	Sue Glass
Workshops	Claudia Gomez
Corresponding Secretary	Bea Savellano
Historian/Photographer	Julie Limbach-Jones
Patchwork Star	LaVerne Owen-Barakat
Read Me a Quilt	Julie Maas
Servicemen Quilts Coordinator	Arlene Zobrist
Webmistress	Sherilyn Guernsey
Quilters Marketplace Committee	Carol Thomas

These positions are still available. Call Pam if you are interested in serving on the board.

2012 Quilt Show Chair	Internal Auditor
Hospitality – December dinner	Intra-Guild Coordinator
Hospitality – Monthly refreshments	Membership Assistant
Publicity/Public Relations Coordinator	

The changes to our Standing Rules were approved at our business meeting in June. Copies are available at our website.

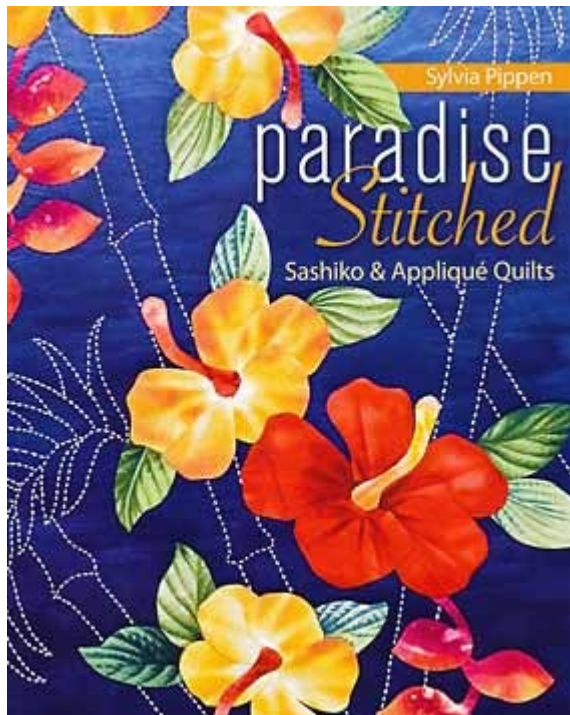


Library

Dawn Cynamon

DawnCynamon@gmail.com

RECENT ACQUISITION These glowing quilts bring together two of quilting's best-loved hand stitching traditions: Japanese Sashiko and colorful appliqué. Appliquéd flowers and leaves are perfect for hand-dyed fabrics and novelty prints. You will receive clear instructions on Sashiko appliqué, and hand embroidery techniques.



2011 Quilt Show

Jean Newton 310-515-3929

I am sure everyone is working on their respective quilts for the 2011 show. Be sure not to forget the 2-color challenge. See the June newsletter for the rules.

We are still in need of someone to chair the staffing committee. We have a volunteer who will do the computer spreadsheet work. Now we just need someone to take names!

From the anecdotal information I have received to date, it sounds like we did well with selling our quilt tickets at Luella's during the quilt run. Thank you for all who sat and enticed people to buy those tickets.

For those who have signed up for either white glove or ticket selling at Long Beach, Eleanor Johnson has the sign up sheet. If you need to double check your time slot, please contact her.

SBQG TREASURER'S REPORT for June 2010



Income			
	Guild Ops		33.14
	Amazon Earn-Interest In-	31.45	
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	ing	1.69	
	Membership Dues/Guest		
	Workshop Fees		130.00
	Total Income		<u>163.14</u>
Expense			
	Guild Ops		303.87
	Contributions (Hamilton School)	240.00	
	Gifts/Awards	43.90	
	Postage	2.20	
	Print-	17.77	
	Community Services		343.00
	Intraguild		45.00
	Library		120.97
	Membership		17.10
	Newsletter		69.17
	Philanthropy		1,000.00
	Programs/Workshops		69.09
	Gift certificate	50.00	
	Meals/Refresh	10.42	
	Workshop	8.67	
	Total Expens-		<u>1,968.20</u>
	Net Income (Loss)		<u>(1,805.06)</u>
Ending Balances			
	Checking-Bank of the West		26,260.10
	CD-Bank of the West (5-27-11)		5,782.71
	CD-CapitalSource Bank (10-19-10)		11,660.05
			<u>43,702.86</u>

Past President's Message:

I want to say a huge heartfelt thank you to all of you for the blocks you made to commemorate my second term as President. I will enjoy designing a quilt to incorporate them. The comment my husband made as I showed him the blocks: "This is going to be a big quilt!" And special thanks to Carollee for all of her time and effort in coordinating the project.

As I mentioned to the Board, being President is the "easy job"—all of the other Board members do the work and I get to take credit! It has been a rewarding, challenging, fun and eye-opening 2 years. Please give your full support to the new Board as they begin their terms this month as you have supported me and the Board these last two years.

Sincerely,
Julie Limbach-Jones

South Bay Quilters Guild
Fiscal Year End Report
July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010



Income	
Membership	7,335.00
Newsletter Advertising	330.00
Travel	118.06
Quilt Show	9,736.29
Total Income	17,519.35
Expense	
Community Services	299.74
Fashion Show	379.39
Guild Operations	3,746.42
Hospitality	50.21
Intraguild	45.00
Membership	494.57
Newsletter	1,182.18
Philanthropy	1,000.00
Programs/Workshops	6,263.68
Total Expense	13,461.19
Net Income	4,058.16

Did you know that an ivory carving found in an Egyptian temple in 1903 features the king wearing a cloak that appears to be quilted? Were you aware of the fact that the oldest surviving quilted object found in a Mongolian cave tomb is thought to date back to about one century BC to two centuries AD? The International Quilt Study Center has published dozens of such facts in their Quilt History Timeline Pre-History—1800.

From Glendale Quilt Guild July 2010 Newsletter

Celebrating Quilters:

Quilts can tell a story and for one North Dakota native, a very special quilt tells the story of her French Heritage. Evelyn Landis presented her family’s quilt at the Bismarck Mandan History and Genealogy Society’s monthly meeting. The quilt is from the 1800’s and was made by her great-grandparents. She talked about genealogy and what that quilt means to her family.

“When we see something that belonged to an ancestor, it becomes a symbol of that person and by natural curiosity, we’ll want to know more about that person, especially if it was hand crafted,” she said.

The meeting was a prelude to the North Dakota French Heritage Conference, which is scheduled for July. The quilt was donated to UND.

Marie Arceo

5/13/2010

From Glendale Quilt Guild July 2010 Newsletter

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July 24 – Long Beach Quilt Festival (San Diego and Victorville departures)

Tour of Robert Kaufman and Quilt Shop Hop – Friday, Sept. 17

AQS Show Des Moines, Iowa – October 4-10

Would you like to be on our mailing list? Just drop us a note at the address above, or e-mail: pam@travelingquilters.com

Upcoming Events

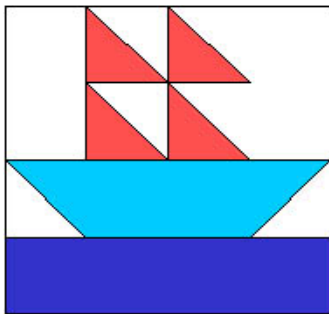
July 10 SCCQG Meet the Teacher meeting The event will be held at: San Clemente Presbyterian Church, 119 N Ave De La Estrella, San Clemente, Ca 92672 from 10am till noon
Email Contact: quiltjmk@verizon.net *Website:* www.sccqg.org

July 3, 2010– January 16, 2011 A new exhibit, “Quilts—Two Centuries of American Tradition & Technique” at bower’s Museum, 2002 North Main Street, Santa Ana, CA. www.bowers.org

July 11 - 15 Camp Watch A Patcher 2010 We have gathered an incredible group of experts offering classes in a wide spectrum of quilting arts...from applique, paper piecing, machine quilting and piecing to fabric dyeing and embellishment. Tons of fun, laughter and friendship for all !!!
Email Contact: director_cwap2010@yahoo.com
Website: www.campwatchpatcher.org

August 21 - 22 Yorba Linda Quilt Daze VIII August 21&22,2010:Yorba Linda Quilt Daze VIII (Quilt Show) honoring Southern California Quilt Guilds & local quilters. Yorba Linda Community Center 4501 Casa Loma, Yorba Linda (Imperial Hwy & Casa Loma. Admission \$7.00 10-4 Saturday & Sunday. Information call Franki (562)889-4384 or e-mail Jo Ann at ylquiltshade@aol.com
Email Contact: ylquiltshade@aol.com

September 4 - 5 Busy Bears Quilt Guild Mountain Treasures XXII Quilt Show. Show is held every Labor Day weekend on Saturday and Sunday in Big Bear Lake CA. Location is Big Bear Middle School on Big Bear Blvd.
Email Contact: rscott338@charter.net
Website: busybearsquiltguild.com



South Bay Quilters Guild
 P.O. Box 6115
 Torrance, CA 90504

Guild Meeting:

June 15 at 6:30 p.m.

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



Reminders:

Wear your Name Tag

Invite a friend to the meeting