

South Bay Quilters Guild

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May 2012

President's Corner

Pam Overton

Can it really be May already? Mother's Day is just around the corner. As I mentioned at the guild meeting and in a recent e-mail, while we're planning to "end" our DCS project in June of this year (well, at least for a while), we thought it would be fun to make one last push for items. What better way to do that than to celebrate Mother's Day in a unique way. What's that? With a baby shower of course!

At the May meeting we'll focus on all the children just entering (DCS) or already in (CASA) foster care. Let's help the foster mothers of those children by gifting the children with some much needed items. As appropriate the items that you donate will go to the DCS or CASA project. And in the case of things like quilts and receiving blankets, we'll split them up and send them to both! So bring on the clothing items, diapers, pacifiers, baby wipes, baby towels, hats, shoes, socks, quilts and receiving blankets, and anything else that you find to bring to the shower. Some of us raided the flannel sale last weekend (still ongoing through May 5) at Joanne's and will have a nice stack of receiving blankets to donate. Our local shops also have a nice selection of flannel as well. Mention that you are making items for the guild baby shower and perhaps they'll offer an extra discount! So bring your gifts and come join the party! We'll have games with prizes and cake, of course!

The nominating committee is busy making calls. I do hope that if you're tapped on the shoulder you will give serious consideration to serving on the board. It doesn't take a lot of time, gives you great insight into the working of the guild, and you'll have a chance to make new friends along the way. Getting involved in the guild is very rewarding.

See you at our May meeting – Don't forget it's a week early this month!

Happy Quilting

Pam

Programs

Janet Coggins & Helen Lu

May Program:

Come join us for a fun filled evening, with a lively rendition of "Piecin' it Together" by the Pennyroyal Players, a California group who tell stories through song.



Workshops

There are currently openings in all the upcoming classes. Sign up **NOW!**

August 22, 2012

Mary Jo Hiney **"Silk in a Snap"**

No workshop in May, but mark your calendars for August 22, 2012 with Mary Jo Hiney's "Silk in a Snap"; an amazing class with her lovely use of silk! Learn wonderful and unconventional sewing and embellishment techniques while creating any project from the "Silk in a Snap" pattern line.



www.maryjohineydesigns.com

September 19th

Linda Schmidt

"Creating with Cool Stuff"



Come and make a series of very small artworks as you experiment with all the cool stuff I have found to create special effects in quilting and garment making: Bonding Agent 007; Solvy; painted & fused Steam a Seam II Lite; foil and foil glue; Tyvek; Puff Paint; iridescent cracked ice, fabric paints; melted painted cellophane; Mistyfuse, Lutradur, metallic paint powders, Shiva paint sticks, Fiber Etch; Angelina and Tintzl fibers and more. Come see how this class will expand your repertoire, and come away with waterfalls, clouds, trees, and abstract art!

<http://www.shortattn.com/>

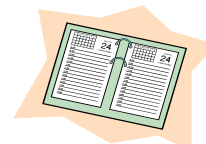
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Meet the Teachers Follow-Up Meeting

Many of you attended the 'Meet the Teacher Meeting' in Carson and had great suggestions for the teachers for our future workshops. We would like to have more input from our guild members. We decided to meet on Saturday, May 19th at 11:30 at Harbor Palace Restaurant, 1949 PCH (NE corner of PCH & Eshelman), Lomita, CA . 310-539-8220. Please call or e-Mail Helen Lu if you plan to attend so she can make reservation.

Also, if you have suggestion and are unable to attend the meeting, please e-Mail Helen and Janet. ◇◇

Calendar



May 8	Guild Meeting at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach. Doors open at 6:30 Meeting begins at 7:00 P.M. <u>NOTE THE CHANGE IN DATE!!!</u> Remember to bring canned goods!
May 15	Community Service—Sweatshop at Levy School 3420 West 229th Street, Torrance.
May 22	Quilt Show Meeting at Ascension Lutheran School, Room B at 7:00 p.m.
June 1	Newsletter Deadline! Please send all newsletter articles to Carol Berg
June 5	Guild Board meeting at Marie Calendar's near intersection of Hawthorne and Torrance Blvd. in Torrance . Business meeting begins at 6:30pm. All members are welcome! Contact Pam if interested in attending.

Refreshments

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Refreshments will be provided by the Guild for the May Meeting. We're having a "Baby Shower" so come and enjoy.



June Stewart ◇◇

Fashion Show 2012

Carolle Schuegraf

Saturday, June 30, 2012

11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Speaker: Mme Fumi Akutagawa
"Hari Kuyou" (Needle Day)
Miyako Hybrid Hotel
21381 So. Western Ave.
Torrance, CA 90501

Fashion Show will be Women's, Men's and Children's Kimonos.

Lunch: Choice of Chicken with Miso Cream Sauce or Salmon with Lemon Caper Sauce



Celebration of the Needle

There will be wearable art vendors with fashions for sale before and after the program. If you would like, please wear Kimono, Haori Jacket, or if you wish to model any fashions made in the last year.

Tickets will be available at the Guild Meeting or call Carolle Schuegraf

Prices: Non-Guild Members \$49.00
South Bay Quilters Guild Members \$42.00

No Host Bar

Successful Workshop

Helen Lu

Our April workshop with Martha Nordstrand was a very informative and successful event. We learned to use small Philip screwdriver and flat head screwdriver very differently! We also used Avery glue stick and label paper to make appliqué pieces to complete a whole appliqué pattern to audition the background fabric. There were many ah-ha moments in the class.

Helen Lu still has 8 sets of screwdrivers and 50 sheets of label paper to mail back to Martha. If you are interested in them please let me know, call her and she will bring them to the May meeting. A Screwdriver set is \$2.00 and 5 sheets of label paper is \$3.00. She is even willing to throw in the glue stick with your purchase.

If anyone is interested in purchasing Martha Nordstrand's pattern books; please go to her website look in "Patterns" section to select the pattern book you want to buy then stop by the Program/Workshop Table and talk to Helen Lu. If Helen is able to put together the book order of several books Martha will lower the cost to \$32.00 a book (instead of \$35.00 from her website). Helen will then e-Mail Martha the list and checks and she will send Helen the package saving you some of the postage. Her website is <http://www.morequiltsplease.com/>

Please Note: Martha also teaches a Mola workshop and an embroidery workshop, some of you have expressed an interest in having a Mola workshop using her appliqué method. Martha will teach **just a workshop** and it can be on weekend. If you are interested; please let Helen Lu know she will try to coordinate it. ◇◇

President's Gift

Janet Coggins & Helen Lu

Dear members, as Pam finishes up her year as our fearless President, we have the honor of working on a gift for her. You may remember that last year we made Amish inspired nine patch blocks for her, so this year we are turning them into a finished quilt. Carol Thomas and Melanie Dreike helped me come up with a plan, make the alternating blocks, border, etc. and we have mailed it off to a genuine Amish quilter who will hand quilt this lovely project.

I would like to invite everyone in the guild to stop by my Workshop table at the meeting and sign a card for Pam and I'm asking for donations to help pay for the quilting.

Please help us honor all the hard work Pam does for the Guild !

Janet Coggins ◇◇

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Nancy Jengo

Nancy Jengo - Chair
 Janet Akman - Board Representative
 LaVerne Owen Barakat - Member at Large
 Janet Coggins - Member at Large
 Melanie Dreike - Member at Large
 Olivia Carnahan - Alternate

The Nomination Committee will present the slate of officers at the May general meeting, at which time nominations will be "open from the floor". Should you choose to nominate someone from the floor please get their consent first.

Thank you to the nominee who answered her phone and said "Yes". The positions we are still in need of a nominee are: **Newsletter, Recording Secretary, Quilt Show Chair 2014, Quilt Show Treasurer 2014 and Fashion Show 2013.**

Please consider helping out on the board. After all we are an all volunteer organization and we need you all to volunteer. ◇◇

Annual Pot Luck Dinner

The June meeting will be our annual pot luck dinner. It is always lots of fun and the food is terrific. We will start setting up at 6:00. If you would like to help, please contact



Mary Ann Sereth. Dinner will be at 6:30 and the meeting will start at 7:00.

We always get a nice variety of dishes, so bring what ever you are proudest of producing. See you at the pot luck!

Travel

Joann Kennelly

Quilter's Run Trip

So, have you ever been on the annual quilter's run? Or how long has it been? Our guild is proposing a trip to 5 of the Area 2 shops this year.

The date? – Saturday, June 16.

The places - A bus leaving from Lawndale at 8:30 am. Visiting Sew 'n Sew in Glendora, Ginger's Quilt Shoppe in Upland, The Fabric Patch in Montclair, The Calico House/Cranberry Quiltworks in Placentia and Quilter's Garden in Anaheim.

That's 5 of the 8 shops in the Area 2 run. You can complete the rest on your own on Sunday or the following week if you wish.

The cost - \$30 per person. This includes transportation and the driver's trip. Bring money for a lunch stop along the way.

We hope to be back in Lawndale by about 3:30. Interested? **Sign up** at the May Guild meetings or contact Joann Kennelly. Leave a message and I'll get back to you. We must have a minimum of 30 people by May 23rd. Sounds like fun! Join us. ♦♦

PHILANTHROPY

It is time to select the recipient of our philanthropic donation for this year. Do you have a favorite charity we should consider?

The Philanthropy Committee is accepting nominations for a potential recipient of the 2012 SBQG Charitable Donation. The nominating form is available on the website or you can fill in a form at the Community Service table at the May meeting. If you use the website form you should be able to e-mail it to Janet Ackman.

Remember, your charity **must be a 501 (c)(3), non-profit** and you will need to provide their **Tax ID Number** and a short description of the charity. Please talk to Janet about what is needed.♦♦



**Happy
May
Birthdays!**

Dottie	Daybell	5/3
Gini	Ozenne	5/3
Linda	Crane	5/4
Nancy	Gebhard	5/4
Donna	O'Kane	5/6
Denise	LaBorde	5/8
Sue	Mac Lean	5/12
Charlotte H.	Newkirk	5/12
Pam	Overton	5/13
Jean	DenBraber	5/19
Diana	Smith	5/19
Suzanne	Millar	5/22
Marie	Cortez	5/26
Judy	Ross	5/26
Vicki	Ascher	5/28
Chris	Chambers	5/29

Intra-Guild

Dee Evans & Tracy Finnell

Did you get your strips sewn up yet? Bring them to show and tell. We want to see!

We have some wonderful gift cards this month for folks that participated in the UFO Challenge. Now, we have to figure out who completed the most.

Thanks to everyone for participating in our projects over the last 2 years. It has been great fun.

Since Tracy is moving, she has some crafty stuff that needs a new home. If you come by the table and see anything you can use, please feel free to take it with you. ♦♦

Thank You

Thanks to those members who volunteered to help at the Meet the Teachers Meeting!

Membership

Stephania Bommarito

Nancy Payne

What a joy it is to greet all our members and guests each month. Always remember to wear your badge so we can get to know each other by name. When you come to our table, be sure to sign in and pick up your raffle ticket. Don't forget – if you carpool, you get two tickets. The number of people that are coming together is growing. We handed out many extra tickets last month. Carpooling is working! There are still some membership directories available. Plus, there are still some people that have not picked up their name badges.

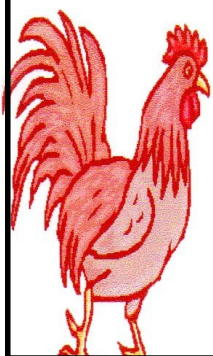
A HUGE thank you goes out to Momen+ fabric store who has donated a big bagful of fat-quarters. Thus, not only will there be a gift certificate available, but also a tall stack of fat-quarters too!

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP NOMINTIONS

Nominations for Lifetime Memberships are now being accepted. The due date is the close of the May 8 meeting. A nomination form is available on the "Members Only" section of our website and at the Membership table at the meeting. All nominations forms will be accepted by the Membership Chairs (Nancy and Stephania). Award (s) will be presented at our June meeting. For more details see our By-Laws and Standing Rules or just give us a call.

If you are interested in being on the Lifetime Membership Nomination Committee, please e-Mail . Thank you in advance. ♦♦

Reminder—May General Guild Meeting is on the second Tuesday, May 8th!! See you there!



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COMMUNITY SERVICE—Janet Akman



Baby Shower theme at the May Guild meeting will target CASA and our DCS project wrap up. So bring in those baby items such as: receiving blankets, quilts, diapers, wipes, onesies, pj's sleepers, socks, shirts, shoes, toys, wash rags & hoodie towels, pacifiers, shampoo, powder, etc. Remember you don't have to fill a backpack yourself. You can join with your friends to complete a backpack or just bring individual items. Also helpful are gift cards for places like Target or Wal-Mart.

Be sure to stop by the Community Service table to check for fabrics you may need for

CASA or Wounded Warrior quilts. Julie and Arlene will continue to accept your quilts. Please be sure we have your name and name of book on the list. Please put your name on the back of the quilt so we can easily identify the maker. See their articles for the latest.

Last month Arlene announced at the meeting that she now has 80/20 batting for Wounded Warrior quilts. It will be cut to size so please contact her and bring your top to guild for us all to see. She can then bring a batting for that quilt.

See Mary's article for updates on the Sweatshop and other projects she oversees.

Also remember St. Andrews Food Pantry. Their primary need is for meats and fruit. Your support is always appreciated. .◇◇

The Comfort Project

Mary Shadbourne

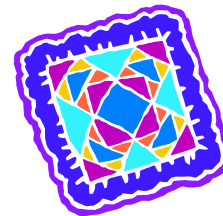
Reminder to all Sweaters and potential Sweaters: The General Meeting and the Tuesday Sweatshop have changed places on the May calendar. This means that our regular Sweat-

shop will take place Tuesday, May 15, 2012 (**the third Tuesday in May**). Please plan on joining us at **Levy School, (Room 7 near the south parking lot) 3420 West 229th Street, Torrance.** We meet 7:00 to 9:00pm, but it's all right to leave early. Great if you bring your sewing machine--fine if you bring scissors and a chopstick--still OK if you just bring yourself. Together, we'll sandwich up to eighty quilts in preparation for the annual June tying and potluck event. It's always a lot of fun--the more the merrier.

To new members (and members who've never attended a Sweatshop), this activity is perfect for meeting other members in a smaller setting than at the big, general meetings. If you're new to quilting, comfort quilts provide an excellent opportunity to learn the basics of quilt construction. We have something for everyone, including fun and fellowship. Hope to see you there! ◇◇

Read Me a Quilt

It was such a treat to see the 5 quilts that Lucia Petrarca made for CASA children. They are delightful. Thank you also to Ann Sadler for a quilt and June Stewart for a fleece. I'm sorry you did not get to see the baby fleeces that Ann Short made but they were distributed to a one and a half week old before our meeting. Thank you Ann.



I look forward to seeing the dog and cat quilts that I know you are working on. Thank you all.

Julie ◇◇

Quilts for Wounded Warriors

Arlene Zobrist

Requirements: Size: 48" by 78" (stretcher size), All cotton (including batting, 80/20 acceptable), Appropriate patriotic theme/design, optional: Pillowcase, 20"x30", coordinating fabric

Good news – we have a limited supply of Hobbs 80/20 batting to be used only for our Wounded Warrior Quilts! If you bring your quilt top to our Show & Tell and let me know it's coming, I'll bring some pre-cut batting. Or if you're ready to finish your quilt sooner, contact me to arrange to pick it up.



April was a very productive month, thanks to you and other groups to which SBQG members belong. A big Thank You to our Sister Guild in Santa Monica for making 14 beautiful warrior quilts (shown on their website)! They had a special sewing day in March and said a few more are on the way. The Lawndale Library Quilting Ladies donated two quilts (see the lovely quilt shown here) and numerous pillowcases. We also received quilts from Nadine Kirk and Janet Akman – see photos in our Blog. Thanks to Grace Peng, we will post photos of any warrior quilts not shown at Guild in our Blog. While I'd love to show all at Show & Tell, I send the quilts to Afghanistan as soon as possible due to the constant need and high trauma rate.

We received another Thank You from Afghanistan, to "personally thank us for our time and efforts... it is nice to be thought of..." It was good to see this warrior was able to write the note himself, since some are too severely injured and have others write for them. ♦♦



The April Newsletter with pictures is now on the website. It has a picture of all the quilts which won awards.

DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SERVICES (DCS) PROJECT

Janet Akman

A reminder of items needed:

PLEASE NO USED ITEMS

What every Emergency Placement Bag could use:

A gift card valued @\$25.00 for a department type store that is open late hours such as Target or Wal-Mart. This would cover the child if she/he needs a toothbrush, underwear, socks, pajamas or food. Grocery store gift cards would be second best option such as Vons, Ralphs or Albertsons. Even a \$10.00 card or individual items would help.

Ages 0-2 Diapers, wipes, baby clothes, onesies, bottles, blanket, age appropriate toys. Gift card.

Ages 3-5 Kids cups, pull-ups, toddler clothes, age appropriate toys. Gift card.

Ages 6-8 Clothes, shoes, socks, underwear (boys seem to prefer boxers), nightlight, flashlight, toothbrush and paste, hair brush, comb, pajamas, sweats (pants and shirts), jeans, shirt, jacket. Gift card

All donated items will be turned over to the Department of Children & Family Services, Torrance Regional Office, 2325 Crenshaw Blvd. Torrance. ♦♦

2013 Quilt Show

Stephania Bommarito

Our 2013 quilt show planning has begun. On April 24, members met to come up with many new, fresh ideas for a sparkingly successful quilt show. Innovative ideas of all kinds plus ways to up-date the show were introduced. The ideas were recorded and the committee now has the pleasure of choosing which ones will definitely or probably be implemented. Thanks to everyone who helped come up with the ideas.

There are still some opening for the 2013 quilt show committee. Being part of the team is very rewarding plus an exciting way to work with fellow guild members. A possible option is to work together with a friend and co-chair a position. The positions that are available include Entrance, Inside Signs, Quilt Coordinator, Scribe, Staffing, and White Glove. Each job is reasonable and comes with a notebook as well as support from the whole committee.

The most important component of our quilt show is the many remarkable quilts made by each one of us. Have you come up with a list of quilts or garments that you will be entering into the show? Do you have a UFO that is eager to be finished? How about that group of fabrics with a pattern idea that is demanding to be created? Now is the ideal time to get started. We accept quilts and garments of all kinds from traditional pieced/appliqued/quilted to art quilts and everything in-between. What is so unique about our quilt show every year is the wide variety of quilt styles that are exhibited. .

The new challenge for the show will be presented at the May meeting. The committee has come up with a unique idea that will inspire and intrigue our creative juices.

Auction quilts is another major part of our show. Do you have an idea you are interested in trying? A UFO Quilt wanting to be completed? The quilts can be a simple small quilt with fun fabric or something a bit more elaborate with embellishment. They can be traditional, oriental, garden-like, whimsical, or ???. Surprise us!

The raffle baskets were very successful this year. What fabrics, notions, books, chocolate, or ??? do you think would be fun to have in a basket? The themes are limitless. Ruby Tabata is ready to accept your items.

Our opportunity quilt – “Baskets on Parade” – is in the process of being finished and quilted. Alex has created an enchanting blue and white quilt that is a visual treat to behold.

Now I need your help to come up with a name for our show. What suggestions do you have? Enjoy playing with words to come up with a “catchy” title.

The next 2013 quilt show meeting will be held on May 22 at 7:00 PM. We meet at Ascension Lutheran School Room B in Torrance. Everyone is welcome. See you there! ◇◇

Sunshine and Shadows

Vivian Ruddy's husband passed away in New York on April 19th after completing a train trip.

Get Well Wishes to George Zettler and Carol Thomas!

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SBQG TREASURER'S REPORT
for March 2011

Income	
Fashion Show Tickets	\$546.00
Membership Dues	\$35.00
Trip Fees	\$150.00
Workshop Fees	\$405.00
Total Income	\$1,136.00
Expense	
Meals/Refreshments	\$36
Miscellaneous	\$16
Newsletter	\$67
 Programs / Workshops	
Speaker Fees	\$300
Teachers-Workshop	\$400
 Programs / Workshops - Other	\$100
Total Programs / Workshops	\$800
Quilt Show deposit	\$1,000
Room Rental	\$175
Total Expense	\$2,094
Net Income	
ASSETS	
Checking/Savings	
Bank of the West-Checking	\$32,107
Bank of the West - CD (11 mo)	\$5,817
CapitalSource Bank - CD (11 mo)	\$11,758
Total Checking/Savings	\$49,682
Total Current Assets	\$49,682

QUILT SHOW 2012 BUDGET STATUS

	as of
-- Income --	4/22/2012
Acquisitions	183.00
Admissions	7,958.60
Auction	2,675.91
Auction Tax collected	234.14
Donation (Rizzo's)	150.00
Interest Income	3.92
Opportunity Quilt Tkt Sales	5,502.25
Pins	434.00
Raffle Baskets	1,357.00
Vendors	9,335.00
Total Income	27,833.82
 -- Expenses --	
Acquisitions	269.75
Auction	363.93
Bank Fees	10.00
City License	74.00
Facilities	8,059.87
Food	268.26
Insurance	10.00
Opportunity Quilt 2012	605.84
Opp Quilt Tickets	34.64
Pins	495.52
Pipe and Drape	2,544.00
Programs	542.03
Publicity	1,474.20
Raffle Baskets	65.92
Sales Tax	234.14
Security	621.00
Signs	97.81
Staffing	60.53
Vendors	41.05
Total Expenses	15,872.49
Profit	11,961.33

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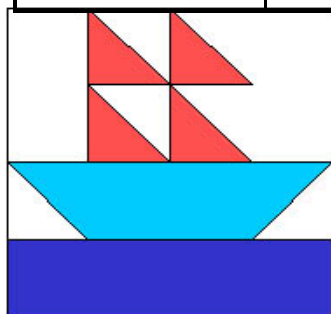
Users can access the Facebook link and Twitter link from our home page.

Help Wanted

From the guild Webmistress, Sherilyn Guernsey: Are you into social media? We are looking for some volunteers to help keep our guild social media current and fun (Facebook, twitter, etc.) Perhaps you have some blog post ideas? Please contact Sherilyn.

Upcoming Events

<p>May 5 & 6</p>	<p>TLC Quilters Presents A Grandmother's Flower Garden Quilt Show Saturday May 5, 2012, Sunday May 6, 2012 At the Covina Woman's Club, 128 S. San Jose Avenue Covina, CA. Hours: Saturday 9:30am - 5:00pm Sunday 10:00 am - 4:00pm. FREE PARKING</p>
<p>May 5 - 6</p>	<p>Quilting by the Sea Quilting by the Sea, will be held on May 5 and 6 2012 Ventura Co. Fairgrounds. (Seaside Park) in Anacapa Hall Saturday 10am - 5pm and Sunday 10am - 3pm. Admission is \$10 Our Challenge is titled: pick a letter...any letter We will have a Janome sewing machine for raffle courtesy of Art and Jenny's Sewing in Ventura. We will also have our Many Mini's silent auction. Guild Boutique - 200 quilts - Vendor Mart</p>
<p>May 19 & 20</p>	<p>Antelope Valley Quilt Association presents 35th Annual Quilt Show & Vendor Extravaganza Place: Lancaster Marketplace, 44950 Valley Central Way, Lancaster, CA. Saturday May 19th 9:00AM - 5 PM and Sunday May 20th 9:00AM - 4:00 PM Events at the Mall Artful Bras for Breast Cancer Aid Merchant Mall. Live Auction on Saturday May 19th at 1:30PM. Opportunity Quilt Drawing on Sunday May 20th at 3:30PM. \$500 Gift Certificate for Bolts in the Bathtub Quilt Shop, 1965 W Ave L, Lancaster, CA Donated by Bolts in the Bathtub Raffle Baskets Admission (covers both days) \$7 (Husbands/ child under 12 Free)</p>
<p>June 2-3</p>	<p>Beach Cities Quilters Guild presents "FantaSea of Quilts" Quilt Show and Merchant Mall at Soka University-Gymnasium, 1 University Dr., Aliso Viejo, CA 92656. For more information www.beachcitiesquilters.org</p>
<p>Sept 13-Sept 15</p>	<p>31st Annual San Diego Quilt Show presents "Life's a Beach". At the San Diego Convention Center, 111 West Harbor Drive, San Diego, CA 92101 Preview Night Wednesday, Sept 12th 6-9pm, \$15 advance tickets/\$20 at the door.Show Days Thursday & Friday, Sept 13th & 14th, 9am-6pm *Saturday, Sept 15th, 9am-5pm **Multi-day pass is \$10 We are expanding our show this year to include classes, judging, cash prize awards, more special exhibits, and an art quilt challenge "Life's A Beach". Visit our web site at www.sandiegoquiltshow.com or call 619-443-2706 for details</p>



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

Guild Meeting:

Meeting begins at 7:00

May 8, 2011

Reminders:

- Wear your Name Tag
- Invite a friend to the meeting

