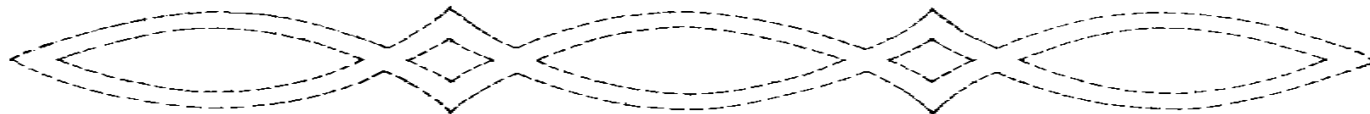


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President's Corner

Pam Overton

September . . . seems like summer flew by . . . wait, what summer? Even though the days are still warm, it's starting to feel like fall in the evenings. Time to pick up our quilting and garment projects and get them ready for the fashion show in November and the quilt show in February!

Please welcome Dee Evans to the SBQG Board. She has graciously volunteered to serve on the intra-guild team but we are still looking for a co-chair to work with her. We're looking for one or two new members to help her brainstorm ideas and implement them for intra guild. Interested? We're also still looking for someone to handle guild publicity and the 2012 quilt show. More on that in a separate article!

As you'll see in the Community Service article, we're taking on a new, but much needed project. We would like to help contribute to the St. Andrews food pantry and are asking for your help. Please bring canned goods only. See you at the guild meeting – Pam ♦♦

Quilt Show 2012

With no quilt show chair candidate in June, I've taken a modified "if you build it, they will come" approach to finding a quilt show chair for 2012. In recent years, the quilt show chairs have taken on the responsibility for the opportunity quilt themselves. A big task for the chair to handle since they should also be busy forming their committee and plans for the show.

This year we're going back to the way we used to handle it. In the past, the quilt show chair selected someone to design the quilt, oversee collecting blocks from the guild members, and assembling the quilt. I've enlisted help from someone who has been involved in many of our gorgeous opportunity quilts over the years - Luella Fournell. We have a design concept and are busy drafting the pattern for the quilt. We've incorporated the proven formula of scrappy pieced blocks from the guild combined with appliqué. Something for everyone! I can't promise we'll have a sketch to unveil in September, but we will certainly have something ready in October. At that time we will have kits for piecing and appliqué available.

And, I'm happy to say I believe that my plan has worked . . . someone out there is seriously considering taking on the chair responsibilities for the 2012 quilt show.♦♦

Guild Programs

Carollee Schuegraf

310.265.9796

Lecture: Marcia Stein

Destinations: Travel Inspired Quilts

Marcia Stein is a San Francisco textile artist whose award winning work has been shown in a number of juried exhibitions at galleries, museums, and quilt shows throughout the country and is included in several private collections.

In addition to abstract quilts and lively interpretations of more traditional designs, Marcia enjoys combining her interest in photography with her quilt art, and is currently at work on a series of representational pieces based on her photographs from Santa Fe, Italy, England, and the South of France.

Originally from Chicago, Marcia is a graduate of the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She took up quilting in 1992, after a lifelong interest in other needle arts, and has been pursuing her interest in textile art fulltime since 1996.

Please welcome Marcia to our Guild. Meet her before the meeting at dinner. (See Page 2)♦♦



Workshops

Claudia Gomez
 cdgdesign@verizon.net

September 22, 2010 - San Francisco textile artist Marcia Stein will be teaching the Picture This! workshop. 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.

This workshop will be held in the community room of Palos Verdes Library.

Address: 701 Silver Spur Road, Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274

More on Marcia Stein...It's a Book!

Marcia Stein is announcing the debut of her new book...

My book, *Picture This! Applique Pictorial Quilts--From Photo to Fabric*, is now available for pre-order from [C&T Publishing](#).

Based on my Picture This! workshop, I've put together all the information you'll need to create beautiful quilts inspired by your own photos, even if you don't know how to draw or consider yourself to be an artist or photographer. I cover three methods of machine applique (turn-under, fused, and raw-edge), and include tips on finding good subjects, Improving your photos, selecting the right fabrics, and simplifying your designs. Three projects are included so that you can practice the techniques presented.



October 20, 2010 - Robin Gallagher: Small Projects Workshop

Join us in October for the Small Projects Workshop. The holidays are coming and Robin wants to make sure you get a good start on holiday gift giving. She will be teaching her techniques for making the following small projects: **The Wacky Zipper Bag, Book Cover, Picture Frame, Sewing Machine Organizer, Wacky Coffee Cup Sleeve, and a Tote Along**

Believe it or not, we should have time to make most of these projects or at least make sure everyone has the instructions and comfort level to make them at home. They all make great Holiday gifts and are quick and easy.

This workshop will be held at Luella's Quilt Basket. Address: 1512 Aviation Blvd. Redondo Beach, CA 90278

November 17, 2010 - Del Thomas Workshop: Fiber Postcards

Del Thomas is quiltmaker and a collector of contemporary/art quilts. She will be showing us her techniques for making fiber postcards...mark your calendar for November 17th!♦♦

Guild Calendar



Sept 14	Community Service at Hamilton (see page 4 for details).
Sept 21	Guild Meeting at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 301 Avenue D, Redondo Beach at 7:00 P.M. If your last name begins with the letter "S" please bring refreshments.
Sept 21	Bring canned goods for St Andrews to the Guild Meeting. Please, do not bring any glass! this month bring canned meats and/or canned fruit. Cans should be small to serve one or two.
Oct 1	Newsletter Deadline! Please send all newsletter articles to grmaschr2@yahoo.com
Oct 5	Guild Board meeting at Coco's in Manhattan Village Mall. Business meeting begins at 6:30pm. All members are welcome!

You are invited to Dinner

Come dine with guest speaker Marcia Stein. 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
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 (310) 375-4462



ginaleesbistro.blogspot.com

Please arrive by 5 p.m. Tuesday,
 September 21, 2010

Congratulations!!

Congratulations to Mary and Al Shadbourn who celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary September 10th!

Congratulations also to Lois Grover's Grand-daughter who finished her summer program and is now settled in at College studying Performing Arts.

Last Name Begins with the letter "S"
Refreshments



Refreshments will be served at our guild meeting. If your last name starts with "S", please bring a dish to share with 10 people. The guild will supply the water, napkins and plates.◇◇

June Stewart

Membership

Stephania Bommarito 310-503-7989 quiltwizard1024@aol.com

Nancy Payne 310-371-0827 napayne2@hotmail.com



It's Membership Renewal Time!!!

Thanks to all of you who have already mailed in your membership renewals either by mail or at the August meeting. Your quick response is very gratifying. Just a reminder, renewals are due by September 1st every year. Naturally, we will have plenty of forms available at the September 21 meeting. We will be glad to accept check or cash renewals at the September Guild meeting. A membership renewal form is included with your newsletter. Forms are also available on our website at: www.southbayquiltersguild.org. An annual membership covers the period 9/1/10 through 8/31/11. Full membership is \$40.00 if you want a "green" copy or is \$45 if you want a paper copy. A newsletter only membership is \$15.00. By renewing at the September Guild meeting, it helps us to get the new directory out on time. If you wish to renew by mail, please send your application form with a check made payable to SBQG to: Stephania Bommarito, 18924 Patronella Ave., Torrance, CA 90504-5817. If you have questions, feel free to call or email Stephania or Nancy.

Community Service Donations

On the renewal form, there is a box to check in order to donate to Community Services. You will receive a donation receipt. Our Community Services program provides hundreds of comfort quilts and other items to our community every year. Your donation helps cover the cost of batting and other supplies to make the items. Monies are also needed to help cover postage for our Wounded Warriors project.

Friendship Groups and Volunteer Opportunities

On the application form are two additional important spots. The first one is about people who are interested in joining or forming friendship groups. Check the box if you want further information. One of our focuses this year will be to facilitate helping members to join a friendship group. The other spot at the bottom of the application is the Volunteer Opportunities that are available to participate in the various activities of the guild. It takes many hands to make the guild events successful. It is also another great way to get to know other guild members!

New Members & Returning Members Tea

On August 31, we had a wonderful evening getting to know each other. The quilts that were shown and the stories about them added to the joy of the evening. Many questions also were answered about how our guild functions as well as about our various activities that we stage. We would like to thank all the board members that came and brought treats to eat. We also send a big thank you to Pam Overton for hosting the event. Naturally, other teas will be planned as we welcome more members to our guild.

Don't forget to stop by the membership table to sign in and pick up your door prize ticket.

See you at the September meeting!! Stephania and Nancy ◇◇

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Mary Shadbourne
310-326-4953



Announcing! A New Pet Project...

We're helping St. Andrews Presbyterian Church with their ongoing feed-the-hungry project, but instead of just once a year, we'll be donating a specific item, or items each month. September is canned meat and/or canned fruit month. Bring your donation(s) to the meeting--there will be a drop-off table just inside the door. No need to go to the big-can store... just look in your own pantry for a can or two of something to donate, however no glass please.

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We're back at Hamilton, at least until December, for our Second Tuesday Sweatshops! Join us September 14, 2010 for another round of productive fun: Hamilton Adult School, 2606 West 182nd Street, Torrance. Bring scissors and/or a sewing machine (perhaps a pointy chopstick). We like to sandwich about eighty quilts at this monthly event and we'd love your help.

The numbers are in for 2009-2010 donations. Here's the short version:

Quilts	921	This includes "comfort" size as well as bed size quilts (no number is available for "Read Me A Quilt" donations)
Toiletries	197 pounds	
Stockings	217	
Sees	25 pounds	
Pillowcases	30	(there are more to deliver this year)
Critters	86	stuffed animals

At the September meeting, stop by the Community Services table and pick up a complete list (the long version) of donations (and recipients) for 2009-2010. Several members like to show this list to prospective Opportunity Quilt ticket buyers, as an informational motivator. We'll also have lists of organizations that have benefited from our donations during the last ten years. These are impressive lists.

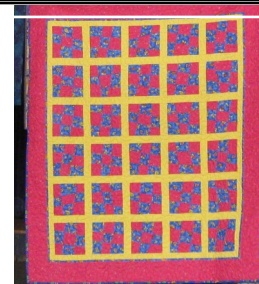
If you haven't picked up a card regarding our Million Pillowcase Project participation (Julie Limbach Jones' Pet Project), they will be available at the Community Services table.

August's Christmas fabric sale brought in over \$170.00. Thank you Susan Gibbs for playing Table Cashier for the evening. At the September meeting, we'll have a pile of smaller pieces of holiday fabric (and batting) available for members who want to get an early start on their holiday stocking production.∞



Read me a Quilt

Julie Maas



I'd like to thank all of our wonderful guild members who turned in quilts for CASA. A dozen quilts were turned in. Some were made by an anonymous donor, some were made by a woman in Oklahoma who was touched by the plight of these children, plus there were quilts by

Lois Grover, JoAnn Cope, Lucia Petrarca, Grandma Jo, and June Stewart.

Thank you.∞

Julie Maas

Guild Travel:

Unfortunately we did not have enough signups to make our minimum for the bus to San Diego on September 18. I've returned everyone's checks, and will have your cash payments at the guild September meeting, so come see me at the travel table.

We will begin taking reservations at the October meeting for the bus to Road to California in January. Watch for the announcement of the date and price in the October SBQG newsletter. Remember guests are always welcome on our bus trips!

Sue Glass
310-372-3945

SBQG Book Sale

We are going to have another book sale at the March guild meeting, with proceeds to benefit the guild general fund and the guild library. We will begin collecting books at the November guild meeting so start sorting now! We will take quilting and other needlecraft books, novels, non-fiction or just about anything except text books or books that are not in good condition. I am happy to make arrangements to meet you someplace and pick up your books if you don't want to lug them to guild, but not until November, please. Call me if you have questions.

Sue Glass
310-372-3945

Quilts for Wounded Warriors

Arlene Zobrist 310-543-5302

Thank You notes continue to come in showing how meaningful these quilts are to our wounded warriors, and also to the dedicated staff of medics who take care of them. In August, a team of nurses from Afghanistan sent this picture showing some of the quilts we sent, saying "We at Camp Bastion greatly appreciate the generous and skillfully crafted quilts recently received. We all thank you sincerely for thinking of our wounded warriors. We were so excited to see these beautiful quilts, it was hard not to keep them for ourselves!"

Another email from the Chief Surgeon said "... Thanks for thinking of us, it means more than I ever thought it would. We are in a tent at this time and the quilts brighten the areas and provide comfort to the patients." Many of the nurses are reservists called to active duty, who have to put their lives (& families) on hold while they serve our country, at great risk. The good news is that our injured troops are receiving their professional and compassionate care. Because they were so excited about the quilts, I made a few quick quilts for the medic staff, combining some scrubs and medical fabrics with patriotic – fun to do and much deserved.

The need continues to increase so we need more quilts. Sandra Parks made the beautiful quilt shown here, with machine quilting donated by Don Bunting. Several others are in works. Please note that quick quilts are good for this purpose, and use of panels with sashing and borders to showcase them can make a simple but eye catching design.

Requirements:

Size: 48" by 78" (stretcher size)

All cotton (including batting, 80/20 acceptable)

Appropriate patriotic theme/design

Optional: Pillowcase, 20"x30", coordinating fabric ♦♦



Library

Dawn Cynamon

DawnCynamon@gmail.com

RECENT ACQUISITION

CREATIVE SEWING TECHNIQUES BY MACHINE

BY NANCY FIEDLER

Find out some of the amazing effects you can get from those stitches you never use on your machine and some new tricks for the stitches you always use by working with surface embellishment. Also find out what some of those strange feet and attachments can do. This book will reveal a whole new world of fun with your sewing machine.♦♦



2011 Quilt Show

Jean Newton

Quilt Show Miniature Auction

310-515-3929

Have you been working on your auction quilts this summer? We will start collecting mini-auction quilts at the September guild meeting. Remember the quilts should not exceed 36" on any side. A quilt can not be accepted without a completed entry form. For your convenience, entry forms are in the form section of our webpage. Also, a sleeve on the quilt would be nice for the person purchasing it. We are looking forward to seeing your fantastic contributions!

Julie Limbach Jones 310/372-3889

Nancy Jengo 310/378-5523

Gift Basket Raffle

We are having a gift basket raffle again this year. We are accepting new, or gently used, items for the raffle baskets. See Pat Pascal with your donation. One idea that came from the brainstorming session earlier this year is to have mini groups put together a basket and donate as a group. If this is something your mini group is interested in doing please see Pat. Especially if you have a wish to put dibs on a particular theme.

Pat Pascal 310-546-1906

Acquisitions

You will find the acquisition form on the SBQG Website and at the September meeting. The application will also be in the October Newsletter. We will begin accepting the applications at the September meeting.

Melanie Dreike 310-214-2806

Pam Overton 310-546-5990

Carol Thomas 310-272-7780

Publicity

Postcards and a miscellaneous letter will be available at the September meeting for people to begin getting them stuffed and ready. This is a job that qualifies to fulfill your staffing requirement for the quilt show.

We are also looking for anyone who can go to the Council meeting in October to help get the guild packets to the meeting for distributions. The packets for the Council meeting are already being stuffed. Sherilyn Guernsey will be one of the presenters at the meeting. However, we do not want to add the packets to her tasks for the day.

Pam Overton 310-546-5990

Nancy Payne 310-371-0827

Staffing

We will start signing up people for the various positions at the quilt show. If you have a favorite thing to do at the show, now is the time to get there first! Remember, you need to sign up for three hours. You can do the three hours straight or split them up.

JoAnn Cope 310-316-1166

Sheila Franklin 310-644-6760

Julie Mass 562-426-4231

Quilt Show Pins

The pins for the 2011 Quilt Show are in. See Diane Miller if you wish to get yours early. They are \$5.00 each. Pssst....if you donate a quilt for the auction, you will get a free pin.

Diane Miller 310-831-3872

Opportunity Quilt and Sewing Machine Tickets

Hopefully you picked up your opportunity quilt and Bernina Sewing Machine tickets at the last meeting. If not, please see Vivian Ruddy at the September meeting. She will have your tickets pre-bundled. However, do not be afraid to ask for more. If you need a significant number of extras, please call Vivian before the meeting so that she can have them ready for you.

Vivian Ruddy 310-548-3229

Committee

The next quilt show committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 28, at Hamilton School, Room 20. See you there! Jean Newton 310-515-3929 ♦♦



2011 Quilt Show

Totals to date as of 8/31/2010

Income

Interest Income	2.18
Opp Quilt Tkt Sponsors	50.00
Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales	571.00
Pins	15.00
Sewing Machine Ticket Sales	149.00

Total Income 787.18

Expense

2011 Opportunity Quilt	378.54
Acquisitions	78.50
Opp Quilt Tickets	208.63
Pins Expense	455.23
Publicity	845.04
Sewing machine tkts - expenses	132.70

Total Expense 2,098.64

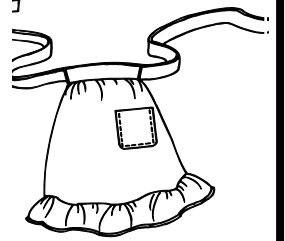
Net Income (Loss) (1,311.46)

Ending Balance - Checking 5,189.04

Fashion Show 2010

"Not Your Grandmother's Apron"

Pam Overton 310-546-5990



Thanks one and all for your donations of teapots and teacups. You've been generous and we think we have more than enough for our centerpieces!

Can you help with some additional items? We need two teapots per table for the tea. In addition we will also need two tiered trays (for sandwiches and finger desserts). Do you have either of these items? Would you be willing to lend them to us for the tea? We promise to return them promptly and in good condition. If so, please stop by the table to sign up on the list.



At the September meeting the Fashion Show Committee will again have a variety of donated vintage linens available that you may choose from if you would like to incorporate them into your fashion show challenge apron. Stop by the Fashion Show table to see if there's something there that might inspire you!

Do you have an item that you would like to donate as a door prize. New is good, but a gently used quilt related item will work too! We will be collecting your door prize donations at the fashion show table.



We will have the fashion show garment applications available in September. The form is also available on the website.

Carol Berg will have tickets available. The cost is \$32 per person. It should be a fun afternoon with high tea, our fashion show, and apron lecture/trunk show. This is a great opportunity to bring your mother, sister, daughter, or granddaughter along for a fun afternoon. You won't want to miss the fun so stop by the table and purchase your tickets. ♦♦

Quilters' Marketplace

SBQG is joining two other local guilds to raise funds by hosting a huge sale of your unwanted quilting supplies, books and fabric. If you are interested in helping organize this new event, please call

Carol Thomas, 310-372-7780 or email at

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Patchwork Star Reporter

LaVerne Owen-Barakat

September 2010 Patchwork Star is Grace Peng. Grace has been a member of the guild since 1997 shortly after moving to the area and connecting with Pam Overton. Immediately after becoming a member, Grace began to contribute to our guild, first by working with Dottie Daybell to register our domain name and transfer Dottie's library catalog to the new host and domain.

Grace was born in Taiwan and spent her growing up years in San Francisco. Grace began sewing in 6th grade home economics class but even before that, sewed with her mom and older sister making their own clothes. During college a classmate introduced Grace to the art of quilting. Her friend tutored her on rotary cutters, mats and acrylic rulers. Her life and stash have never been the same.

When asked if she has a favorite speaker or someone she really likes, like Joan Wolfrom or Debbie Mumm, etc., she answered "I like to learn different techniques, even if I won't immediately use them. Funny that you would mention Joan Wolfrom. Her book, *The Magical Effects of Color*, changed my creative life. I use what I learned from that book for dyeing, painting, daily dressing, decorating and planning sewing/knitting projects. I then read more books about color and used her book as a starting point to discuss mixing paint colors with my daughter."

Grace has a PhD in theoretical Chemical Physics and has worked for Aerospace Corporation for 13 years doing sensor calibration and data (computer algorithm) validation for Air Force weather satellites. She also collaborates with NASA and NOAA counterparts. It uses her physical science and math & computation skills. She admits she always spent a lot of time looking out the window at the sky when she should have been doing something else so meteorology is a perfect job for her.

Grace is married to her college sweetheart Mark, also a scientist at Aerospace and together they have a daughter Iris. Iris is 9 years old and has modeled in our fashion shows and has shown her mother's quilts at the guild meetings.

Grace is multifaceted, has many hobbies including dyeing, painting, knitting, reading, cooking, theater and visiting museums. She used to ski, play volleyball and bicycle before she became sick.

Grace shared with us that she inherited an immune dysfunction, what some people refer to as HLA-B27 syndrome. It's a gene associated with dozens of autoimmune dysfunctions such as low immunity to infections and Psoriatic Arthritis, both of which she has. She also has had uveitis in the past, which left a residual cataract in her left eye. Grace is prone to infections and fatigue, especially in the evenings so consequently, she misses many of our evening functions nowadays. Even so, she manages to contribute in many ways to our guild and society. We are honored to have her as a member of our guild. ◇◇

The August Patchwork Star, Gina Ozene, sharing her quilts at the August meeting.



SBQG TREASURER'S REPORT for August 2010

Income

Guild Ops		37.99
Amazon Earnings	36.89	
Interest Income	1.10	
Community Services		105.00
Library		65.75
Membership		485.00
		485.00
Total Income		693.74

Expense

Guild Ops		76.91
Gifts/Awards	70.14	
Website	6.77	
Fashion Show		500.00
Membership		43.43
Newsletter		96.82
Pro-grams/Workshops		831.15
		831.15
Total Expenses		1,548.31

Net Income (Loss)

(854.57)

Ending Balances

Checking-Bank of the West		27,730.38
CD-Bank of the West (5-27-11)		5,788.51
CD-CapitalSource Bank (10-19-10)		11,682.65
		45,201.54



Happy
September
Birthdays!

Nancy	Jengo	9/3
Tracy	Finnell	9/4
Tina	Nord	9/10
Louise	Welch	9/11
Donna	Mc Call	9/12
Suzanne	Fishman	9/13
Laura	Tulla	9/13
Alison	Gerber	9/14
Marjorie	Wallace	9/14
Dorothea	Evans	9/15
Charmaine	Doty	9/16
Donna	Kessler	9/17
Catherine	Ravera	9/20
Jacqueline C.	Johnson	9/26
Christina	Wisdom	9/26
Lucia	Petrarca	9/27
Sofia	McCormick	9/28
Janann	Nakano	9/29
Sharon	Bohner	9/30



SOUTH BAY QUILTERS GUILD MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION – 2010-2011

(Please print and completely fill out all information even if you are renewing.)

Name _____ Birthday (Month/Day) _____

Address _____ Home Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Work Phone _____

Occupation _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

What kind of quilting interests you? Please circle as many as you like.

Traditional Art Appliqué Pieced Other _____

Is there a speaker or subject you would like to hear? _____

Would you be willing to provide a 15-minute mini-workshop before guild meeting? Yes ___ No ___

Would you be interested in joining or forming a new friendship group? Yes ___ No ___

Have you ever been a Patchwork Star? If not, would you be willing to be featured at one of our upcoming guild meetings? It's our way of getting to know new (and long-time) members. Yes ___ No ___

All membership renewal forms must be received no later than the ***close of the September meeting***. Dues are for the period 9/1/10 through 8/31/11. If you wish to renew by mail, please send your application form with a check made payable to **SBQG to: Stephania Bommarito 18924 Patronella Ave Torrance, CA 90504; (310-503-7989), quiltwizard1024@aol.com**

Renewal New Member Newsletter Only \$15

Full Membership with online newsletter access \$40 Full Membership with Paper Copy Newsletter \$45

(For renewals received after November 1, 2010, please add \$5.00 late renewal fee.)

In addition to the above dues, you may also make an optional charitable donation for Community Services, which is tax deductible. If you choose to do so, please indicate the amount \$_____. Thank you!

SBQG bylaws contain three requirements for continuing membership in the guild: Attendance at 3 meetings, participation in the work of the guild, and assistance with the quilt show. Check your bylaws for complete information. For renewing members only: I certify that I have completed these requirements for the previous guild year. (Please contact Stephania Bommarito or Nancy Payne if you were unable to complete the requirements.)

Signature

Date

Volunteer Opportunities – There are many ways to participate in the life of the guild during each year. Elected and appointed positions are detailed in your bylaws and standing rules. In addition, many positions/committees need worker bees as well. Please check those you'd be willing to help with. The committee chair will contact you.

Community Services _____

Library _____

Membership:

Programs and Guest Speaker Assistance:

Check-In Table _____

Transportation of Speakers _____

Show Guests and New Members Around _____

Housing of Speakers _____

New Members' Tea _____

Entertaining (lunch/dinner) _____

Quilt Show _____ Fashion Show _____

Historian/Photographer of guild activities _____

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24-27 February - Temecula Quilt-Away Retreat

30 April-1 May - Seven Sisters Quilt Show, San Luis Obispo

15-18 September - Temecula Quilt-Away Retreat

30 Oct - 5 November - Houston International Quilt Festival . . . and more of Texas!

Other trips in planning for 2010 -

Mystery Trip, Tour of Hoffman of California

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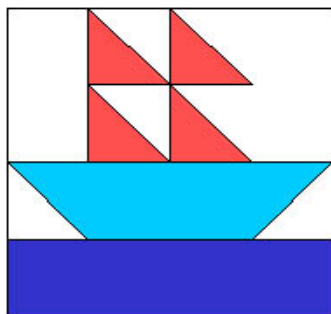


The guild is on **FACEBOOK!**

Users can access the Facebook link from our home page, right below the Amazon.com link.

Upcoming Events

September 10 - 11	<p><u>Guild Quilt Show</u> San Bernardino Fairgrounds in Victorville, 14800 Seventh St. Victorville CA--\$5.00 admission-- Husbands admitted free. Boutique-Vendors-Hoffman Challenge Collection- Door Prizes and Opportunity Quilt <i>Email Contact:</i> cecilia.miller 760 243-3878 <i>Website:</i> www.quilterspiececorps.com</p>
September 25 - 26	<p><u>Coastal Quilters of Santa Barbara</u> Harvest of Colors Quilt Show Sat & Sun, Sept 25 & 26, 10am-5pm Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara A judged, members showcase that includes 200+ quilts and vendor mall. Featured artist Norah McMeeking ("Bella Bella Quilts"). <i>Email Contact:</i> kipickford@cox.net <i>Website:</i> coastalquilters.org</p>
September 25	<p><u>SLO Quilters</u> You are invited to a Quilt Auction, Boutique and Garden Tea at the Jack House Garden, 536 Marsh St. San Luis Obispo. Free admission, tea \$7. Preview and tea at 12:00 noon. Live auction begins at 1:00 p.m. <i>Email Contact:</i> bklaubert@sbcglobal.net <i>Website:</i> www.sloquilters.org</p>
October 2 - 3	<p><u>Simi Valley Quilt Guild</u> You are invited to the Rancho Santa Susana Community Center on LA Avenue across from the MetroL-ink station in Simi Valley for "America, My Home" a quilt show honoring our service personnel. We will open on Saturday at 9:45 am with a Color Guard ceremony by the Disabled American Vets. Live auction will be at 1:00 pm. Sunday, Diana McClun & Laura Nownes will speak at 1:00 pm. Also for your enjoyment: 200+ quilts, 20+ vendors, a guild boutique, food court, door prizes, treasure hunts, vendor demos and our Special Quilt Exhibit: "Daughters & Sons of Liberty" \$10 2-day admission, free parking, strollers on Sunday only, please <i>Email Contact:</i> raganje@aol.com <i>Website:</i> simivalleyquiltguild.org</p>
October 2 - 3	<p>'America My Home' SVQG 2010 Quilt Show Opening ceremonies @ 9:45 on Saturday with Color Guard by local military. Special quilt exhibit 'Daughter's and Son's of Liberty'. Live Auction on Saturday @ 1:00. Sunday's guest speakers are Diana McClun and Laura Nawnes. There will be a vendor mall, boutique, treasure hunt and lots of door prizes. Proceed from sale of raffle tickets for Opportunity Quilt will help the Simi Valley Free Clinic and 'For the Troops'. <i>Email Contact:</i> ddaymude@roadrunner.com <i>Website:</i> www.simivalleyquiltguild.org</p>
October 2	<p><u>Willow Woods Quilt Guild</u> Our second annual Blue Jay quilt walk takes place in the beautiful San Bernardino mountains in Blue Jay. Beautiful quilts displayed throughout the town make for an enjoyable afternoon. A quilt auction will be held at 11:30 with all proceeds benefitting Camp Paivika, a camp providing camping opportunities for handicapped children and their parents and caregivers. There will be a display of "artsy bras" with donations benefitting the Soroptomists of Lake Arrowhead free mammogram program. We will have displays, demonstrations, a featured quilter, and much more. Come enjoy a beautiful autumn day in our mountains. <i>Email Contact:</i> jerripotter01@aol.com</p>
October 8 - 9	<p><u>Los Angeles County Quilters</u> "A Quilters Palette," quilt show Friday (10/08/10) 9am-6pm, and Saturday 10/09/10 8am-3pm. Ritz Gardens, 1201 First Ave, Whittier CA 90603. Admission is \$7.00. LACQG is known for displaying their quilts in a very unique way! We will have vendors, ongoing silent auctions, member boutique, great lunch facilities and much more. Contact: Linda Duncan @310.604.0725 <i>Email Contact:</i> 1dunca3@earthlink.net <i>Website:</i> www.quiltguildla.org</p>



South Bay Quilters Guild

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Guild Meeting:

September 21 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