

Newsletter



"Ideas Never Work Unless We Do"



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President's Message



I am hoping this cooler weather means the start of fall and a beginning of time when you can be outside. It seems to me that this summer was especially hot compared to other years. I also thought I would get more done because I didn't go out much but here it is and I really don't have much to show for this time so I'm not sure what I did all summer. I did sit by the pool with the grandkids a lot so I guess that counts.

The baby lambs are growing, and yes, I am still feeding them. My daughter's husband, owner of all these small creatures, was at the sell barn and saw a baby goat, his name is Spots, being mistreated by one of the workers so he bought it. He is cute with big brown eyes but because he was hand feed and someone's pet, he now thinks he should get some formula when the others do. I mix a little extra and he is the first one to the fence when I go out to feed. If someone had told me I would be feeding baby lambs and goats I would have laughed at them but life has a way of teaching you new lessons.

This month is our birthday luncheon which will be fun. We have a vendor coming, Shabby Rose, her shop in the Banning area. I haven't been in her store but others say it is a fun shop and that she has interesting classes. Everyone signed up to bring a dish which always makes a great meal but hard to decide what to try. If you didn't get a chance to sign up please come anyway and enjoy the morning with your quilting friends.

Keep Quilting
Linda



Programs

Pat Newsom, 1st Vice President

Upcoming Programs:

Sept- Happy Birthday VQG. Help us celebrate and make our QUILT wishes come true, will be Shabby Rose Quilting Cottage.

Save your \$\$ and come prepared for the best Guild B-day ever!!

Oct-Ann Turley, artistic extraordinaire, will join us to share her quilting journey with her personal varied collection of "Just Quilts",

followed by her **workshop, Wednesday,**

October 25th ON POINT.

Workshop sign ups now-Seating is limited.

Nov-Wendy Mathson, is a teacher, author, quilt tool designer and organizer of "Prayers & Squares", a Prayer Quilt Ministry. Wendy will teach us, using the STORM AT SEA quilt pattern, how to redesign your quilt with repositing pieces of the quilt blocks.

List of Upcoming Quilt Events

Reindeer Dash Quilt Run, October 5, 6, & 7,
9am to 5pm

These are the 5 stores that are participating in the Reindeer Quilt Run.

Quilter's Cocoon, Riverside

Sewn Together Shop, Norco

Between Stitches, Temecula

The Quilter's Faire, Palm Desert

Trish Tac Sew, Palm Desert

Info: www.reindeerdashquiltrun.com

Valley of the Mist, 24th Annual Outdoor Quilt Show, Saturday, October 7, 2023, 10:00am to 4:00pm. Their quilts are displayed along the main street in Old Town Temecula

Info: ValleyoftheMistQuilters.com

Quilted Treasures Quilt Show, Nov 3-4, 2023, 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Info: www.fallbrookquiltguild.com

Quilters Calendar

Sept 18	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide-Back building
Sept 19	9:00am Mini Workshop-Free Motion by Amy Mora, Valley wide-back building
Sept 20	9:00am VQ Sew Together, Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide
Sept 25	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide-Back building
Sept 26	9:30am VQ Guild Meeting - Happy Birthday/Shabby Fabric
Oct 2	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide-Back building
Oct 9	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide-Back building
Oct 9	9:00am VQ Board Mtg Valley Wide
Oct 12	9:00am VQ Sew Together, Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide
Oct 16	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide
Oct 17	9:00am Mini Workshop- Notebook by Diana Fish Valley wide-back building
Oct 18	9:00am VQ Sew Together, Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide
Oct 23	9:00am Needle Yackers Valley Wide
Oct 24	9:30am VQ Guild Meeting - Seven Hills, Ann Turley, Just Quilts
Oct 25	9:00am Workshop-On Point by Ann Turley, Valley wide-back building
Oct 30	9:00am Needle Yackers Sew- In Valley Wide



September 2023

Sept 6 Barbara Elliott
 Sept 11 Wanda Souza
 Sept 11 Van Warner
 Sept 12 Kathy Barbay
 Sept 12 Sally Hill
 Sept 12 Ronda McCord
 Sept 18 Diane Best
 Sept 26 Leslie Weidner

October 2023

Oct 3 Betty Barney
 Oct 7 Lorie Mathis
 Oct 9 Kitty Garcia
 Oct 10 Edna Hornkohl
 Oct 12 Sally Issacson
 Oct 15 Merri Snow-Houdyshell
 Oct 20 Ruth Freeman
 Oct 26 Deanna Coleman
 Oct 28 Cindy Link

2024 Quilt Show Acquisitions Mary Myers and Sue Roberts

Just a reminder, it's time to be turning in your Quilt Entry application for the 2024 Quilt Show.

The deadline is December 1, 2023.

You can download the application on our **website: valleyquilters.org**

Go to the Quilt Show Tab and select Entry Form

Or go to the Newsletter email and download the application there.

Please read all the instructions before filling out the application. Please do not email or text me your quilt picture or a picture of you. I have no way to print them. The pictures are a must with the application. If you have entered the Show before, and know I have a personal picture of you, and you are happy with it you do not have to send another picture.

We have 5 Quilt applications so far. This is exciting, but we need at least 100 more.

Keep up the good work!!

Thanks Mary Myers
951-445-1745



SCCQG

Sally Hill

SCCQG is going to have a Quilt Exhibit at Road to California 2024.

It will be titled "Stitching a Community Together". The exhibit will be about how Quilting as a group brings us together. SCCQG want to encourage groups (guild, friendship groups, etc.) to enter a quilt with a community story for the Exhibit at Road to California 2024. If you are interested in entering this exhibit, please contact me by October 6th and I will forward the information to you.

Thanks Sally Hill

Mini Workshops
Kathy Smigun

We are excited to learn from **Amy Mora** about how to free motion quilt on our domestic machines on **Tuesday, September 19, 2023**. The class will be held at Valleywide Recreation Center on Esplanade Ave from 9 until 2. We will meet in the back mobile building next to the tennis courts. The class is full and Amy is making quilt sandwiches for us to practice making comfort quilts.

Diana Fish is teaching next and will teach us to make beautiful Composition Notebooks on **Tuesday, October 17, 2023**. These will be wonderful Christmas gifts. There are only a few spaces left, so sign up soon and receive your supply list. As always, pay \$5 to hold your space, and the money will be returned when you attend the class. If you do not attend, your deposit will become a donation to the guild.



Sunshine & Shadows
Leslie Weidner

A Get-Well Card was sent to Suzanne Wade



Challenge 2023-24
Nancy Alaksin

Don't forget to be working on your challenge. December will be here before you know it!



Fat Quarter Fun

Edna Hornkohl and Vannarin Warner



September
Fat Quarter:
Black and Orange

**Opportunity Quilt Ticket
Sale Destinations
Sue Lueschen**



Hi Everyone,
I am enjoying the coolness in the morning and evening outside, and the rest of the day sewing. Hope you are enjoying it too!
We have Seven Hills Craft Fair in October. I'm still trying to contact other guilds to invite them to our guild and for us to go to their guild.
If you now of another place to sell, please let please let me know their name and contact information and I will talk to them.

**Thank you, Sue Leuschen
I can be contacted by calling
951-380-0066**



**Needle Yakkers
Philanthropy Projects
Comfort Quilts and Pillowcases
Jan Lawrence**

Needle Yakkers! We meet every Monday.
Unless Valley Wide is closed for the holidays.

**Valley Wide Regional Park
901 W. Esplanade Ave
San Jacinto, Ca. 92582
in Mobile #1**

(Building behind the tennis courts).
Park in the back parking lot for easy access.

There is a ramp around the back.
Sew, bring your machine and projects, let's sew!

Mondays from 9AM to 12PM
Remember to bring any completed comfort quilts and pillowcases to the meetings.

**The next Sew-In will be
Monday, OCTOBER 30, 2023**
Thank you for all your Support!



New Friendship Group(s)

Update:

L.A. Divas are strong and taking it on.

This Friendship group is the Long Armers of our Guild and they are a dynamic group of ladies.

Attempting to entice interest of those quilters in LOVE with Scrappy Quilts:

The first meeting will be on October 5th, 2023 at 10 AM at Judy Adams home at 27615 Decatur Way, Sun City, 951-764-6608. All who are interested in scrap quilts are welcome. You will be choosing a name and doing some Show and Tell with a chance to get to know each other better. Lunch after is optional and destination TBD.

I'm looking forward to having our Guild be known as the best group of quilters with Friendship Groups to fit any quilters palate and for their true expression of love and learning towards each other!!!

Suzanne Wade, Friendship Group Coordinator

Door Prizes



Diana Fish

Good day September Birthday people. It's Diana again asking for your \$20.00 retail, wrapped present (aka) Door prize. Please bring in as early as possible, so all who put in tickets can drop one or two, on yours. We have been adding to our treasury, so let's keep up the good work. Don't be afraid to bring in something new to our table for a door prize donation always gladly accepted. Thanks in advance!

Sew Together

Nancy Alaksin

Now that the holidays are over, we can all relax and start sewing again, and meet with all us sew buddies!!! I hope to see many of you at the sew group meetings. We meet the 2nd Thursday and the third Wednesday of each month in the mobile where Needle Yakkers meets.

Check the Newsletter calendar for the dates.

We Need your Quilting Donations

Sharon Brewer

Don't forget as you are cleaning your sewing room to donate any quilting related items to be priced and sold at 2nd Time Around.

I can be contacted at

clintsharon76@yahoo.com or drop off at 2830 Jasmine Circle, Hemet

Thanks!

Valley Quilters Quilt Show 2024 Committee Chairs

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Opportunity Quilt

Sue Leuschen

Acquisitions

Mary Myers & Sue Roberts

Quilt Tickets

Kitty Garcia

Vendors

Diana Fish

Opportunity Baskets

Johnnie D'Alessandro

Decorations

Sue Leuschen

Security Quilts

Jan Lawrence

2nd Time Around

Sharon Brewer

Consignment

Janet Swindell & Lisa Whaley

Door Prizes

Diana Fish

Publicity

Linda Card
Lemke,

Kitchen

Charlotte Morton, Linda

Nancy Alaksin, Carol Miller

Featured Quilter

Joan Dorr

Program

Acquisitions

Volunteer Job Sign-Up

Kathy Barbay & Jeananne McGough

Announcer

Judy Adams & Kathy Ray

Judge

Mary Myers & Sue Roberts

August Show and Tell

Merri Snow

<u>Name</u>	<u>Quilt Description</u>	<u>Quilter</u>
Sue Roberts	Illusion & Le Moyne Magic	Mary Ann Olsen
Jan Lawrence	Paintbox	Self
Cheryl Enyeart	Italian Tile, Tabby Road	Self
Diana Fish	Mod Frog	Self
Lesie Weidner	2-Security Quilt, Sponge Bob & Wild cats, plus domino. Baby quilt	Self
Lisa Whaley	Paintbox	Marianne Crouch
Janet Swindell	Rescued Quilt	Pam Veraberg
Kathy Smigun	Trucker's Retirement	Lg-Suzanne Wade
	2 Patriotic Quilts	Sm-Self
Jennell Lamb	Disappearing 4 patch	n/a
Barbara Mages	Cats	Suzanne Wade
Elizabeth Quigley	N/a	N/a
Suzanne Wade	Elephants on Parade	Suzanne Wade

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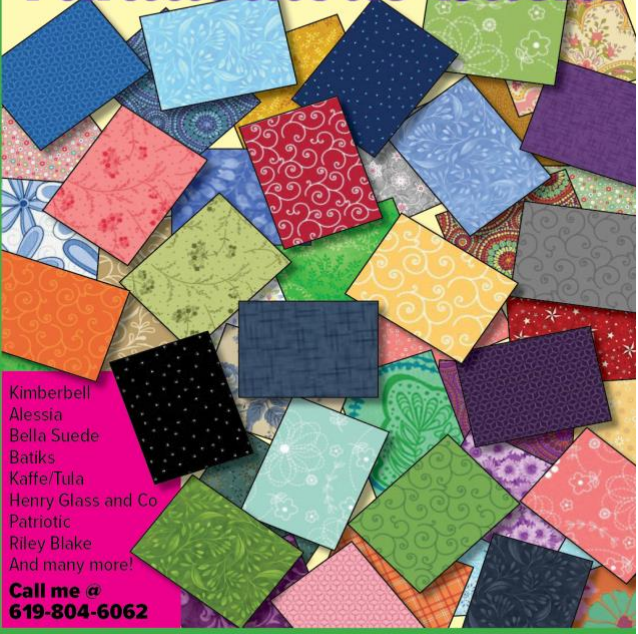
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**Remember  to the
September meeting:**

Name badge, Show & Tell items, Fat Quarter: Black and Orange \$20 value or more birthday gift, if it's your birthday this month. Any completed Comfort Quilts. Also, your potluck dish to out September Birthday meeting. Finally, October Workshop, Mini Workshop \$\$, \$25 for Opportunity Quilt tickets and money for raffle tickets.

Valley Quilters Guild meets at 9:30am on the 4th Tuesday of each month (arrive a little early, if you want to visit before the meeting starts).

**Location: Seven Hills Clubhouse
3050 Jacaranda Way
Hemet, Ca.**

Website: www.valleyquilters.org