



Newsletter



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President's Message



Hi Valley Quilters,

WOW it's a new year!! 2019 can you believe it. The Quilt Show is just around the corner! Hope everyone is ready. If you have not signed up for a working position with Sue Leuschen, don't forget to do so at the guild meeting this month.

I have been busy working on the Committee Chair people. I am still looking for someone to fill the following positions: Hospitality, Door Prizes, Information table, Philanthropic Quilt sales and Sunshine and Shadows. If you are interested please let me know at this meeting. See you all soon.

Happy Quilting!

Quilters Calendar

Jan. 21 Needle Yakkers

Jan. 22 VQ Guild Meeting, Seven Hills Clubhouse 9:30 am

Jan. 28 SEW IN

Feb. 4 Needle Yakkers

Feb 8 & 9 Valley Quilters 39th Annual Quilt Show

Feb. 11 VQ Board Mtg, Needle Yakkers

Feb. 18 Needle Yakkers

Membership

Linda St Jean, 2nd Vice President

Guild membership is 109 with a December guild meeting attendance of 75. During the December meeting we had our kick-off of membership renewal for 2019-2020. Membership renewal continues through the month of January. If you have not renewed, please plan on completing the process by picking up your membership packet at the sign-in table at the January meeting.

Renewal fees are: Active members \$25
Absentee members \$15

Payment can be cash, check or credit card. The packet will include a form to verify we have correct spelling, address, phone numbers, etc. of info on file. Plus, a 2019 waiver for Valley Wide and a 2019 waiver for Valley Quilters. I will need all three forms returned with your membership renewal payment. Let me know if you have any questions.

Programs

Mary Myers, 1st Vice President

The January meeting will be about the Quilt Show. Make sure you are signed up to work in the show. Remember, as a member it is required that everyone works the show to make it the success that it is. Thank You

Hospitality

Lorie Mathis

There was no sign up sheet for January snacks, but please bring a snack in January anyway.

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Pet Beds

Jenelle Pickett

I was amazed to find out that my son John and I made and delivered 268 pet beds to the Ramona Humane Society last year. They are very grateful according to Lauren. I would recommend any of you to adopt a pet from them. They have many beautiful cats! Happy New Year.

Fat Quarter Fun

Kathy Barbay



December fat quarters were won by Natasha Macias and JoAnn Gregory, congratulations.

January Fat Quarters: Hearts

Retreats

Mary Myers

Looking forward to a fun time to just sew with friends. Come to our retreat on March 11 thru 14. There is still time to sign up. The cost is \$330.00. If you would like to sign up please call me. For those who have already paid a deposit the balance is \$250.00 due at the February guild meeting on Feb. 26.

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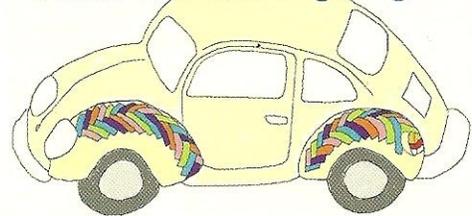
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January 2019



- 1 Charlene Volner
- 12 Roberta Plains
- 16 Joan Dorr
- 18 Becky Miller
- 18 Molly Wergeland
- 21 Billie Kerckmar

Catch The Quilting Bug



Long Arm Quilting

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Scholarship Quilts

Cinda Olivas

Please have scholarship quilts to me by our February, 2019 meeting. Let me know who is donating by a message to my email: cindalou72@gmail.com
Thank you very much!

Sunshine & Shadows

Marianne Crouch

Please keep all guild members in your thoughts and prayers.

Philanthropic
Kathleen Jones & Joann Gregory



Security
Quilt Report Jan. 2019

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Needle Yakkers
Betty Barney



Needle Yakkers meets every Monday morning at 9am at Valley Wide Recreation Center, to yak, quilt, tie security quilts or bring your own project. If you are a new or newer member wanting to find out more about quilting, help with a project, or want to find some new friends, come to needle yakkers. All members are welcome.

Quilt Show - Baskets

Cinda Olivas

Thank you to all who have donated items already. Items will be accepted until January, 2019 meeting. This year I would appreciate the friendship groups having their baskets to me by January. Please do not close them, I reserve the right to exchange items from baskets to even them out. Remember new items only.



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Show & Tell

Sue Leuschen

December Show & Tell:

Joan Torbett - Garden Baskets & Winnebago Waves
Lorie Mathis - 1 black & white quilt, 1 pink wall hanging
Elaine Giometti - Christmas 3-D, beautiful art quilt
Elaine Robetson - Big A Sport Quilt
Kathleen Jones - Wedding Ring Old quilt
Tablerunner
Barbara Ragan - Small child's quilt

Mini Workshops

Phyllis Binkley & Shirley Mykris

Thanks to all of you for the great response we got about mini workshops. (Workshops will all be on Monday's at Valley Wide)

Remember that a \$5 fee is required at time of sign up or at least the month before. Also, the schedule is dependent upon enough members signing up to make it worthwhile for the teacher to hold the class, so if you are interested, please sign up so we will have enough people to hold the class. **This \$5 fee will be returned to you at the workshop if you attend. Mini workshops are for sharing techniques and skills with our guild members**

March 2019 workshop will be for a neck tie purse.

April & May 2019 will be beginning quilting and beginning appliqué.

Hemet Library Display

Please stop by the Hemet library to see the Valley Quilters display. It's located in the case on the back wall. We are fortunate to be able to decorate it each year in January with quilting related items. We also include a poster of our upcoming Quilt Show. This year Wanda Souza's daughter came along to help Betty, Wanda and I, set up the display. See you at the library, Jeani Campbell.



2019 Mystery/Challenge Diane Best

Let's try something totally fun and challenging this year.

I call it a **Mystery/Challenge**.

It's a **Mystery** because you won't know what's coming up.

It's a **Challenge** because you will be challenged with a different fat quarter every month.

It's a **Challenge** also because you must think on your own when adding designs to your quilt (sometimes).

The fun starts at the February guild meeting. The entire program will last from Feb. thru November, ten months. There will be a \$5.00 charge each month or a \$50.00 initial fee. Cash only, no checks or charges.

Get ready. There will be much more information in next month's newsletter. I'm just getting you warmed up.

May your thread never break and your needle never bend.



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Quilt Show Chairperson

Nancy Williams

Our Quilt Show is just around the corner (February 8th and 9th). I hope everyone is finishing up their entries with a 4" sleeve. We always have the most beautiful quilts in our show.

Next meeting is January 22nd (reminders)

1. Finish consignment list
2. Fat quarters: Hearts
3. Opportunity Tickets
4. Signups for quilt show jobs
5. Boutique donations

Please help us make this Quilt Show another successful event.

Quilt Show Chair

Nancy Williams

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Ye Olde Consignment Shoppe 2019

We have extended the deadline to bring in your completed consignment sheets and SIGNED consignment agreement to our January meeting.

YOUR ITEMS MUST BE BROUGHT TO THE NEEDLE YAKKERS ROOM on Wednesday, February 6th or THURSDAY, February 7th BETWEEN 9AM AND NOON. We will be there to accept your items.

All items must have tags SECURELY attached and the tags must be completed as previously instructed. If you have items requiring hangers YOU MUST BRING THEM IN ON YOUR OWN HANGERS. We will not be able to provide hangers for you.

We still need volunteer workers. Many time slots remain open. Contact Hortensia Roesler or Pam Verburg and sign up. Thanks for your participation and your help in making 2019 the best show ever!!!

Please direct any questions to committee members:

Hortensia Roesler, Kathleen Reinders, or Pam Verburg

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Remember to bring to the Jan. Meeting:
Name Badge and Show & Tell Items, Fat
Quarters Hearts, Security Quilts, Mystery
Quilts and your own mug for coffee/tea

Valley Quilters meet at 9:30 AM
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