



Newsletter



"It Takes a Village, Strive to be Part of It"

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President's Message



Hello Valley Quilters,

Well another holiday season has passed and we have all survived. It is time to start to seriously think about the quilt show, it's only days away!! This month's guild meeting will be mostly about the coming show. It takes all of us to produce a great show.

The time for changes in the guild is also coming in February. The new Executive Board will be installed next month. Now I know everyone is used to my smiling face telling you to turn off your cell phones and listen, but it really is time for a new face up at the podium. Don't you agree?

See you all at guild.

Nancy

Quilters Calendar

- Jan. 20 Needle Yakkers
Jan. 23-26 Road to California - Ontario
Jan. 27 Needle Yakkers
Jan. 28 VQ Guild Mtg, - Seven Hills
Feb. 3 Needle Yakkers
Feb. 5 Drop off quilts for Quilt Show
to Acquisitions - Valley Wide
Feb. 5-6 Drop of Consignment items
Feb. 5-6 Drop off Quilt Show décor.
**February 7th - 8th Valley Quilter's Quilt
Show - Valley-Wide Recreation Center**
Feb. 10 Needle Yakkers/VQ Board Mtg.

SCCQG's List of Upcoming Quilt Shows:

- Feb. 15-16 So. Bay Quilters Show -
Torrance Cultural Center 10:00 a.m.
Mar. 14-15 Friendship Square Show -
La Habra Community Center 10:00 a.m.
Mar. 28-29 Glendale Quilt Show - Glendale

Programs

Mary Myers, 1st Vice President
Kathleen Jones, 1st Vice President Elect

At this month's guild meeting we will be sharing sewing notions and gadgets (think unique). This means YOU bring and share something that you think others should know about. If it is too large to bring, just be prepared to tell us about your *special THING*.

I love learning new ideas and I am sure some of you do too. This may even give us all something to be looking for at Road to CA or at our Quilt Show. We never have too much stuff.

Mary 😊

Upcoming Programs:

At our **February meeting** we will be having a *Thank You Party* to say "Thank You" for all the wonderful work that goes on at the Quilt Show and throughout the year. I have learned so much from Valley Quilters and a thank you is in order.

For the **February party meeting**, please **bring two quilts for Show and Tell**: bring one of your first quilts sewn and also a **current or newer quilt** so we can share how we've improved.

Pam Hadfield will be our guest speaker at our **March meeting** and we also have a **workshop** scheduled with her the following day, **Wednesday 3/25**. The workshop is called **Red/White/Bloom**. The cost for the workshop is \$30.00 with an additional \$40.00 for the kit/pattern, or an additional \$10.00 if you just want the pattern. The supply list will be available when you sign up. **You will need to sign up before February 10th, so plan on bringing your payment and signing up at January's guild meeting.** A sample of the project will be shown at January's meeting.

Kathleen ☺

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

card or cash. The Packet includes very important forms:

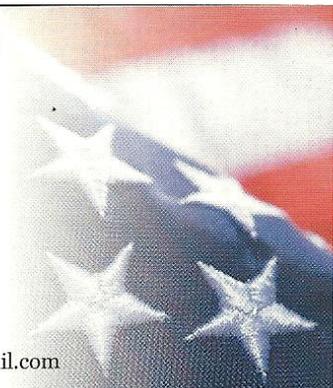
1. **Your personal information** - even if no change, fill out the form completely so we can verify our records.
2. **WAIVERS for year 2020** - Valley Wide Recreation AND Valley Quilters waivers need to be on file BY THE QUILT SHOW. This is mandatory to work the show. If you are not renewing your membership at this time - AND - you wish to participate in the Quilt Show, you still must have a current set of year 2020 waivers on file.

Any questions, please contact me.
Linda St. Jean

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Membership

Linda St. Jean, 2nd Vice President

December brought us an increase of one new member. Please take time to reach out to Cheryl Peabody and welcome her to our Guild. With the addition of Cheryl, our total membership is at 111.

Membership Renewal will be the focus for our January 28th meeting. If you have not renewed your membership, please do stop by the Sign-in table to pick up a renewal packet - fill out the forms and turn in with your \$25 dues. Payment can be by check, credit

Hospitality

Geri Hauser/Lori Mathis

January Snack Sign-ups:

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| Nancy Witt | Phyllis Binkley |
| Barbara Ragan | Sue Fowler |
| Kathy Smigun | Elaine Robertson |
| Judy Owens | Diane Elms |
| Sue Roberts | Elsie Bratcher |
| Joan Dorr | Hope Mulstay |
| Jenelle Pickett | Marianne Jones |
| Barbara Bradford | Carolyn Schroth |
| Elaine Giometti | Pam Drummond |

Sunshine & Shadows

Ann Lontz

Nothing to report this month.



Quilt Show - 2020

Cinda Olivas & Geri Hauser

Okay . . . It's go time NOW. Please remember your jobs you signed up for. If you didn't sign up yet, you still can at January's meeting or come anyway as we'll have a job for you. Food is always needed and don't forget to bring your décor items you signed up to bring. I'm sure after 40 years of having this show you all know what to do. Let's make this show the best one ever! Thank you all, Cinda

Ye Olde Consignment Shoppe 2020:

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 at Valley-Wide Recreation Center on WEDNESDAY, February 5th or THURSDAY, February 6th BETWEEN 9a.m. 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 ON YOUR OWN HANGERS. We will not be able to provide hangers for you. **We still need volunteer workers.** A number of time slots remain open. Contact Hortensia or Pam to sign up. Thanks for your participation and your help in making 2020 the best show ever!!!

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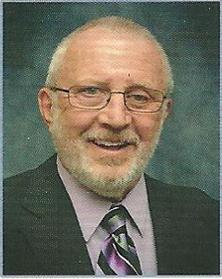
Pam Verburg 951-317-3312

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Quilt Show Decorations:

Don't forget to continue to look for items that we could use for quilt show decorations. The sign-up sheet will be passed around again at January's meeting. See what others signed up to bring for ideas. We could use some more silk plants/stands. Ask me if you have questions about a particular décor item. **Please make sure your name is put on ALL your items and drop them off either on Wednesday** (if you are already dropping off a quilt) **or no later than Thursday a.m. to the back of the gymnasium.** There will be a sign-in sheet at the back area of the gymnasium for you to sign in the items you are dropping off - please make sure you sign in all items you bring.

Thank you, Linda Oles



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Kathleen Jones and JoAnn Gregory

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Retreats

Mary Myers, 1st Vice President

March 9 - 12, 2020

The theme this year is The Bag Ladies. This is the first year we are going to be at full capacity. I have 27 ladies going to the retreat. This will be a really fun time. **All final payments must be paid by February 25th.** Please make your payment to Valley Quilters Guild. I will be sending everyone who signed up an email listing what to bring and what to expect. The retreat will include a mini workshop, information on that will be included in the email also.

New for 2020 will be Pillowcase kits. Each kit will contain material for four pillowcases. One pillowcase kit will equal sewing one security quilt. Sign-up sheets will be in the notebook.

Please come and join us on Monday mornings from 9 am to 11 am at Valley Wide Recreation Center to both Yak to your heart's content and to tie quilts which will be given away. You are also welcome to bring a project to work on, or something you need help with, or even something you would like to share.

Fat Quarter Fun

Joan Torbett and Jenelle Pickett



December fat quarters were won by Ginny Anderson, Sharon Brewer, Joan Dorr, and Joan Torbett. Congrat-ulations ladies!

**January Fat Quarter:
Red and White**

If you took home a kit, please bring it back to the guild meeting or any Monday morning at Yakkers.

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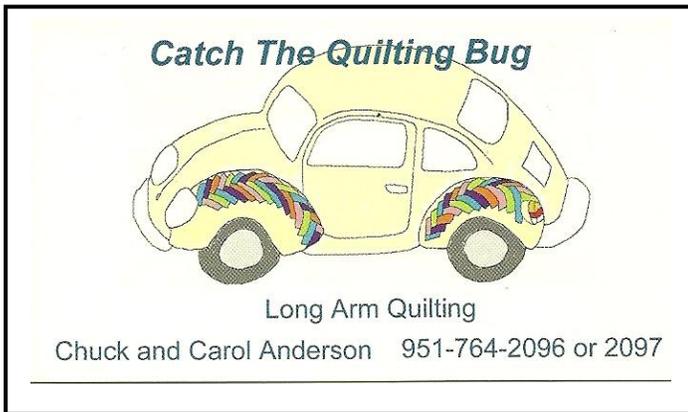
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Mini Workshops
Sue Roberts

Workshops will be scheduled on Monday's
at Valley-Wide Recreation Center
Starting Time: 11:30 a.m.
(Unless noted otherwise)
There are no scheduled mini workshops
for January or February.



**Road to California Volunteers and
Philanthropic Ticket Sales**
Sue Leuschen

Road to CA White Glovers:

Thursday, January 23rd

9:00 - 11:00

Hortencia Roesler

Friday, January 24th

9:00 - 11:00

Johnnie D'Alessandro Linda Card
Janie Currey

11: 00 - 1:00

Grace Ward Lorie Mathis

1:00 - 3:00

Kathy Barbay Phyllis Binkley

Saturday, January 25th

9:00 - 11:00

Mary Fidler Sue Fowler

1:00 - 3:00

Cinda Olivas

VQG Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales:

Saturday, January 25th

8:30 - 10:00

Sue Leuschen Ginny Anderson

10:00 - 12:00

Natasha Macias Chuck & Carol

12:00 - 2:00

Cinda Olivas Amy Mora

2:00 - 4:00

Nancy Witt Barbara Ragan

4:00 - 6:00

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Show and Tell - December

Sue Leuschen

Joan Torbett - Sew by Row quilt that included sewing machines, scissors, irons, etc.

Grace Ward - Mardi gras table runners.

Johnnie D'Alessandro - Long Beach Opportunity Quilt - she won! **Cathe Hagerman-Beizer** was the maker of the quilt.

Mystery Challenge Quilters:

Sue Roberts, Suzanne Wade, Joan Dorr, Cleta Colston, Kathy Smigun, Judy Owens, Carol Anderson, Nancy Alaksin, Nancy Witt, Wanda Souza, Phyllis Binkley, Amy Mora, and Joan Torbett



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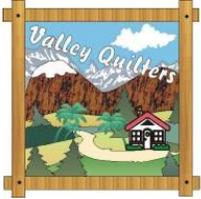
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**Remember to bring to the
January meeting:**

Name badge, Quilt Show and Membership
Renewal related forms/payments, final
payment for Retreat, Show & Tell items,
Fat Quarter: red and white, and
completed Security Quilts.

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

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