Newsletter



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President's Message



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I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter with family and friends. The months are going by so quickly it will be Christmas before we are ready. It has been nice to have some warmer weather and also to give everything a chance to dry out. I just found out the state has declared Riverside County a disaster area because of all the rains and flooding. We had two baby goats born during all the rain and it was hard for them to get around in all the mud, they are loving the warm weather.

We have some fun things happening in the guild this month, the first is our bus trip to Hoffman. Please be on time for the pick up so we can stay on schedule. Sally Hill has done a great job setting everything up, so it should be a fun day. This is also our scholarship meeting, Judy Bjorklund and her committee have chosen 3 students to honor and she just informed me they will all be at our meeting. Sue Leuschen has a list of guilds we hope to visit this year to sell opportunity tickets but, she does need help from the guild members. If you can go to one of the other meetings, please let her know. She has times and dates so you can choose one that works for you.

Have a great month and keep sewing Linda



Programs Pat Newsom, 1st Vice President Upcoming Programs: April- Scholarship Awards & Brunch Potluck We will meet and share brunch with the 2023 high school recipients and their families May-Linda Sullivan brings her COLOURWERX expertise 1st in a lecture Stripin and Stichin and then as a teacher in a workshop where we will learn how to perfect ¹/₄' seam and cut triangle shapes for a fun & new strip quilt. Sign up now for the workshop, May 24th. You don't want to miss out! Call Pat Newsom at 951-505-1284

Quilt Ticket Sales Lorie Mathis

Kitty Garcia will be taking over sales for this coming year. Please help her out by picking up your tickets and be sure to sign them out and that you have paid \$25 for them. She is not going to know everyone to put names and faces together. Thank you for making our scholarships possible.

2023 Scholarship Luncheon April 25th

Don't forget to bring your dishes early for set-up and be ready to help celebrate our students' accomplishments.



Quilters Calendar

Apr 17	9:00am Needle Yakkers		
	Valley Wide-Back building		
Apr 18	Hoffman Bus Trip/San Juan		
	Capistrano		
April 17	9:00am VQ Sew Together,		
	Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide		
Apr 24	9:00am Needle Yakkers		
	Valley Wide-Back building		
Apr 25	9:30am VQ Guild Meeting -		
	Seven Hills,		
	Scholarships/Luncheon		
May 1	9:00am Needle Yakkers Valley		
	Wide-Back building		
May 3	8:30amm Pricing , Sharon		
	Brewer's House		
May 8	9:00am Needle Yakkers		
	Valley Wide-Back building		
May 8	9:00am VQ Board Mtg		
	Valley Wide		
May 10	8:30amm Pricing , Sharon		
	Brewer's House		
May 11	9:00am VQ Sew Together,		
	Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide		
May 15	9:00am Needle Yakkers		
	Valley Wide-Back building		
May 17	9:00am VQ Sew Together,		
	Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide		
May 22	9:00am SEW IN Needle		
	Yakkers		
	Valley Wide-Back building		
May 23	9:30am VQ Guild Meeting -		
	Linda Sullivan, COLOURWERX		
May 24	9:00am Workshop/Valley Wide		
	Back building, Linda Sullivan,		
	learn how to perfect $\frac{1}{4}$ ' seam		
	and cut triangle shapes for a		
	fun & new strip quilt.		
SCCQG's List of Upcoming Quilt Shows			
	Quilted Treasures Quilt Show, Nov 3-4,		
2023, 10:00am to 4:00pm.			

Info: www.fallbrookguiltguild.com



April 2023

- Apr 6 Diane Elms
- Apr 10 Nancy Smith
- Apr 22 Barbara Cole
- Apr 25 Kathleen Reinders
- Apr 27 Shiralyn Yates
- Apr 28 Sharon Deuber

International Quilt Show in Long Beach Kathy Ray/Sally Hill

ATTENTION; TRIP GOERS!!

We are planning another bus trip to the International Quilt Show in Long Beach.

Date: July 6, 2023

Details to follow with price, time, and pick up locations.

Sign-ups will start at the April meeting. We need to have at least 50 people to

> **Fat Quarter Fun** Edna Hornkohl and Vannarin Warner



May 2023

May 7	Kathy Ray
May 8	Cleta Colston
May 9	Barbara Mages
May 15	Janet Swindell
May 20	Beverly Wallace

<u>Guild Bus Trip</u>

<u>Hoffman Fabric Warehouse Bus Trip on</u> <u>Tuesday, April 18, 2023</u>

Our Bus trip to Hoffman Fabric Warehouse and lunch in San Juan Capistrano is FULL.

I am sure everyone that is going is excited for our adventure.

Below is the Pick-up/ Drop off locations.

You must be <u>on TIME</u>. Please try to Carpool.

HEMET :Valley Wide Community Center7am901 Esplanade, San Jacinto

Park by the brick wall.

Contact person is: Pat Spurgeon, 619-772-3731

MENIFEE: 29787 Antelope Road, Menifee

7:30am Between Sola Salon and LA Fitness

Contact person is: Sally Hill, 562-714-4776 If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sally Hill sal6616@hotmail.com

Mini Workshops

Please bring your ideas for teaching or learning a new technique and/or making something special at a guild Mini Workshop to the April meeting. All of us want to share these fun get togethers. As always, these free Workshops have a \$5 deposit, which will be returned when you attend. Please see me April 25th. 3 Thank You, Kathy Smigun

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.

Mini Quilt Raffle

It's MINI time everyone!!!

Let's keep the "mini quit raffle going! "I need mini quilt donations!!!

Nancy Alaksin

ATTENTION!! ALL FRIENDSHIP GROUPS

<u>Friendship Groups will be the Feature for the April Guild Meeting</u>, and should be able to answer questions concerning <u>What</u> they are, <u>Who</u> they include, <u>Where</u> they meet <u>When</u> they meet and <u>Why</u> they got together.

The intention of the presentation is to give the guild members ideas for:

A - <u>Start</u>ing their own special interest friendship group i.e. Appliquers, Bonnie Hunter enthusiasts, Long armers, etc.

B - Join ing one of the friendship groups that is willing to take on more quilting friends

C - <u>Expand</u>ing their vision of all the roads quilting can take one on, if only they take a step towards the journey.

If you would like to participate/create a new Friendship Group, please send your information to me at: <u>gltangl@verizon.net</u> before our meeting on May 23rd and I will coordinate all of the input and provide feedback and assistance in moving forward.

I thank you, and I'm sure members of our guild will be grateful for your enthusiastic participation and who knows, you may cause a spark in someone who will join in with your theme/idea/plan. 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!!!



Birthday members don't forget to bring a wrapped present to be given as a door prize at the next meeting. Please bring it as early as possible. Ticket sales start early and we want it to be available for all. If your birthday slid by or it was last month, bring it or you won't be able to be here this month, bring it early or late, but bring one.

Thanks!

Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sale Destinations Sue Lueschen

Hi,

We are getting started with selling tickets for our Opportunity Quilt and other guilds are selling their tickets too.

Please look over the guilds and see where you would like to sell our tickets and let me know. Remember that these funds go towards giving scholarships for 2024 to deserving high school students.

Temecula and **Redlands** are scheduled, but we need people to go.

Beaumont 3rd Tuesday has two members going on June 20th.

Corona- 2nd Monday at 7:00-9:00pm Fallbrook- 1st Thursday at 6:00 -9:00pm

Temecula- 2nd Monday at 6:15pm October

Busy Bear Quilt Guild- 3rd Monday at 6:00pm

Yucca Valley- 1st Monday at 1:00-4:00pm

Idyllwild-at 6:00pm-8:00pm

Redlands- last Friday the month at 9:00-12:00pm June 30th

Inland Empire (Corona) 2nd Monday at 6:30pm

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 meets 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 tennis courts). Park in the back parking lot for easy access There is a ramp around back. So, bring your machine and join in on the fun on Mondays from 9AM to 12PM Remember to bring any completed quilts and pillowcases to our next guild meeting. The next Sew-In will be on Monday, May 22nd, 2023

Thank you for all your Support!



	March Show and Tell Mari Snow	
Name	Quilt Description	Quilted By
Mike Yeager	2 quilts	n/a
5	6 Mini Quilts	n/a
Pat Spurgeon	1 quilt	n/a
Diana Fish		n/a
Suzanne Wade	Lots	n/a
Lorie Mathis		n/a
Kathy Barbay	Antique Crazy Patch	n/a
Amy Mora	Zoe the Zebra	n/a
Cheryl Winblad	Quilt	n/a
Linda Gunn	Block of the Month	n/a
Kathy Smigun	1 Quilt	n/a
Leslie Weidner	Comfort Quilt	n/a

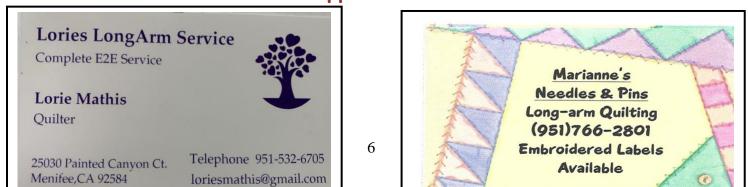
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Sally Hill

San Diego Shop Hop Cruisin Quilters 2023 April 14-22 Monday- Saturday 9:30am-6pm Sunday 10am-4pm Free table Runner Pattern at each of the 6 shops participating. Please check the internet site: <u>crusingquilters.com</u> for shops participating, coupons and information. This would be a fun activity for Friendship groups to do together!

2024 VQ Retreat

Only a few spaces left for the retreat. Get your reservation and \$100 deposit to me. March 4-7, 2024 Total cost \$498 Please contact me if you have any questions. Kathy Barbay <u>catskathy@ix.netcom.com</u> 952-805-3278

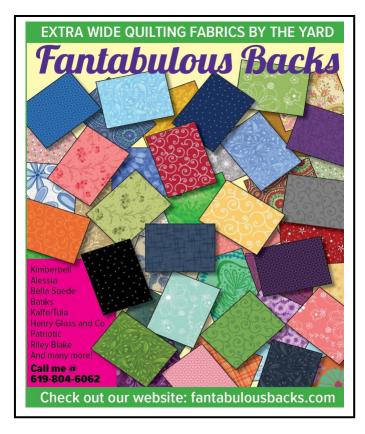


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Remember to bring to the April meeting:

Name badge, Show & Tell items, Fat Quarter: Dots, \$20 value or more birthday gift, if it's your birthday this month. Any completed Comfort Quilts. Finally, money for \$25 for Opportunity Quilt tickets, money for raffle tickets and May workshop money. 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