

Newsletter



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President's Message



Good morning everyone,

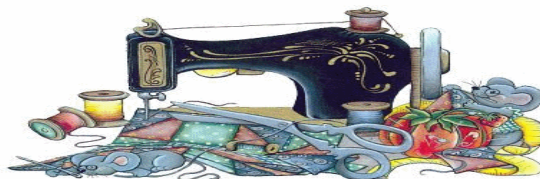
I am sitting here listening to the rain and it is a wonderful surprise. Rain was not listed on any of the weather apps, but I am fine if it rains for a while, hopefully it will cool things down some. I really hope you have each gotten more done this summer than I have, between company, grandchildren and baby lambs my days come and go and I wonder each night what I did that day. Everyone is back in school, not the baby lambs, so I am looking forward to spending some quality time in my sewing room. I have been having fun working on my challenge quilt, I think it will be ready for the December meeting and I am looking forward to seeing all the beautiful quilts you have created.

A big thank you to everyone that has helped take the opportunity quilt to other guilds and shops, it has really made a difference in the ticket sales. Mary and Linda Card are going to Big Bear this month and will be showing the quilt at the local quilt shop. Sue is working on a few more locations so if you are able to help please let her know it is always fun to meet new quilters and to see how other guilds run their meetings, plus everyone is friendly. Remember that all the proceeds from the quilt go into scholarships for local students so we not only help them we have fun doing it.

If you have any questions about something the guild is doing, please ask the person in charge or a friend, we want the programs to be fun and at the same time give you a chance to learn something new. I get stuck on the same kind of patterns and find it hard to change but with all the great quilters in our guild there is always someone who can help you. You may even find out that you like the new colors and patterns.

Stay cool, safe and sew

Linda



Programs

Pat Newsom, 1st Vice President

Upcoming Programs:

Aug-Cindy Myers takes us beyond "Color Wheel theory" in her **COLORING MY QUILT WORLD** lecture, with details of color and fabric selection for her quilts and patterns

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.



Quilters Calendar

- Aug 16 9:00am **VQ Sew Together**, Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide
- Aug 21 9:00am **Needle Yakkers** Valley Wide-Back building
- Aug 22 9:30am **VQ Guild Meeting** - Seven Hills, Cindy Myers, Coloring My Quilt World
- Aug 28 9:00am **Needle Yakkers** Valley Wide-Back building
- Sept 4 **No Needle Yakkers**
- Sept 11 9:00am **VQ Board Mtg** Valley Wide
- Sept 11 9:00am **Needle Yakkers** Valley Wide-Back building
- Sept 14 9:00am **VQ Sew Together**, Nancy Alaksin Valley Wide
- Sept 18 9:00am **Needle Yakkers** Valley Wide-Back building
- Sept 19 **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 Yakkers** Valley Wide-Back building
- Sept 26 9:30am **VQ Guild Meeting** - Happy Birthday/Shabby Fabrics

[SCCQG's List of Upcoming Quilt Shows](#)

Flying Geese Quilt Guild Quilt Show, "Quilts for All Seasons", September 16, 2023, 10:00am -4:00pm. More info: www.quiltsforallseasons.com

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

Valley of the Mist, 24th Annual Outdoor Quilt Show, Saturday, October 7, 2023, 10:00am to 4:00pm. Info: ValleyoftheMistQuilters.com



August 2023

Aug 6 Gloria Barela
 Aug 10 Hortencia Roesler
 Aug 14 Tawnya O'Herron
 Aug 19 Mike Yeager
 Aug 25 Nancy Alaksin
 Aug 30 Amy Mora

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

SCCQG

Sally Hill

There is a presentation of the **California Heritage Quilt Project** from March 8 through September 10, 2023, Thursdays to Sundays from 12:00pm to 5:00pm. The cost is \$15.00. You can find more information on their site:

pasadenahistory.org

The project is located at: Pasadena Museum History Building
 470 W. Walnut Street, Pasadena, Ca

Just a reminder

Valley Quilters Guild Happy Birthday Luncheon

Deanna Coleman

We have our annual Birthday Potluck Luncheon coming up this September. The sign-up sheet will be available in August. Hope to see loads of great food!

Mini Quilt Raffle

It's MINI time everyone!!!

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

Nancy Alaksin



Mini Workshops
Kathy Smigun

Amy Mora will teach us how to **free motion quilt** on our domestic machines on **Tuesday, September 19, 2023**. The class will be held at Valley wide Recreation Center on Esplanade Ave from 9 until 2. We will meet in the back mobile building next to the tennis courts. There are a couple of spaces left so sign up now if you want to attend.

Diana Fish will teach us to make a **beautiful Composition Notebook** on **Tuesday, October 17, 2023**. These would make wonderful Christmas gifts. Please sign up 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.

If you have other techniques you would like to teach, please let Kathy Smigun know and we will schedule it. Thank you!



ATTENTION!!! FRIENDSHIP GROUP
Fever, don't be left out in the cold!!!!

If you would like to participate/create a new Friendship Group, please send your information to me at: qltangl@verizon.net before our meeting on August 22, or any time and I will coordinate all of the input and provide feedback and assistance in moving forward.

A new friendship group has assembled, the Long Arm ladies in our midst are becoming a group - now that should be interesting!!

The Quirky Quilters are busy taking advantage of Susan's Paradise's closing and online sales in preparation for their basket for the Quilt Show. How are the other Friendship Groups coming along with that challenge???

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

Sunshine & Shadows
Leslie Weidner

A Get-Well Card was sent to Jan Lawrence and Lyla Stigall.

A Thinking of You card was sent to Pat Newsom and Marilyn Mendoza.

Finally, a sympathy card was sent to Marilyn Mendoza due to her husband's passing.



Fat Quarter Fun

Edna Hornkohl and Vannarin Warner



August
Fat Quarter:
Black and White

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!
I'm very excited that Linda Card is taking the quilt to the Big Bear Quilt Show, September 2nd and 3rd. We also 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 tennis courts).

Park in the back parking lot for easy access.

There is a ramp around back.

Sew, bring your machine and projects lets sew!

Mondays from 9AM to 12PM

Remember to bring any completed quilts and pillowcases to the meetings.

The next Sew-In will be
Monday, OCTOBER 30, 2023

Thank you for all your Support!

Challenge 2023-24

Nancy Alaksin

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



Door Prizes



Diana Fish

Hi Birthday people,
It's me again asking for your wrapped gift for our door prize table. Bring 'em in early or late, doesn't matter. Just bring them in as early as possible so all can participate. Any new items you want to donate are gladly accepted. You all have been doing a great job of supporting our guild so far, so let's keep it going all year long.
Thanks in advance!

2024 Quilt Show

Kathy Ray & Grace Ward



Valley quilters website has been updated with the latest Quilt Show application for 2024 Quilt Show.

This is a reminder to get your Quilt Show applications into Mary Myers ASAP. The sooner Mary gets the applications, the sooner she can organize the show layout. Your quilts do not have to be done by December 1st, 2023. Just start with the quilt show information and a picture of the quilt you are submitting and a picture of you, if we do not have one on file.

Please call Mary Myers at 951-445-1745, if you have any questions.

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 do your spring cleaning 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

Grace Ward Co-Chair
662-341-0804

Kathy Ray Co-Chair
858-449-7297

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

July Show and Tell

Merri Snow

<u>Name</u>	<u>Quilt Description</u>	<u>Quilter</u>
Joan Dorr	Paintbox & Le Moyne Magic	Mary Ann Olsen
Mary Myers	Le Moyne Magic	Mary Ann Olsen
Mike Yeager	Floral Wreath	Van Warner
Sharon Brewer	Chroma	Self
Sue Roberts	Row Quilt	Self
Diana Fish	A Simple Life	Self
Sally Hill	Le Moyne & Applique	Self
Sue Lueschen	Christmas Table Runner	Marianne Crouch
Suzanne Wade	Several	Self
Amy Mora	Papa Bears	N/A
Cheryl Enyeart	Twirly Balls Bag	Karen Gehring
Lyla Stigall	4 Quilt Tops	N/A

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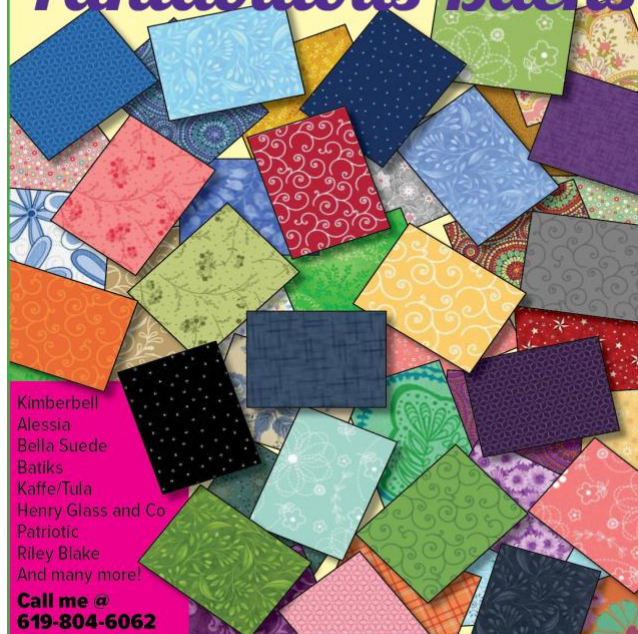
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**Remember  to the
August meeting:**

Name badge, Show & Tell items, Fat Quarter:
Black and White \$20 value or more birthday
gift, if it's your birthday this month. Any
completed Comfort Quilts. 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