



Yuba Sutter

Valley Quilt Guild

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September 2012

Greetings from Leann

As summer winds down I find myself back at work. The school year has been under way for several weeks and my new 4th graders are beginning to settle into routines. I'm also starting to settle in and beginning to love my new class. I always have a hard time giving up "my" kids in June, but then a new batch of fresh faces comes along in August and makes everything good.

This changing and turning of a new leaf repeats itself throughout our lives in many ways. Seasons turn, jobs change, friends and family may move or even pass away, and new babies are born. Remember that all of these events can be remembered and honored through our passion of quilting. At the August meeting, Julie Silber shared some wonderful stories and examples of changing lives preserved in quilts. So, remember we

are not making blankets. We are making memories. We are making history.

Valley Quilt Guild is also going through a big change right now with a change in our meeting location. Starting with the **September 26th general meeting we will be gathering at the Yuba Sutter Regional Arts Council building at 624 "E" St. in Marysville. The meeting starts at 7:00pm and doors open at**

6:15pm. The arts council is excited to welcome us as artists and I am excited for this opportunity. I understand that change is not always easy, but please be patient and bear with us in this move. Change is what we make of it, and this can be the beginning of a positive new chapter in our guild.

I hope to see everyone in September!

Take care, Leann

Community Service

Niki Lura and her quilt group made and were able to donate 9 quilts to the Beale Communications Squadron. We gave five baby quilts to the Women's Circle Group which was started after New Beginnings ceased to exist.

WAY TO GO LADIES! 22 quilts and 50 Christmas stockings were turned in at the August meeting. I am very proud of all of you!

Shirley Lynch	-	10 Christmas Stockings and 1 quilt
Mary Overton	-	10 Christmas Stockings and 1 quilt
Beryl Burtis	-	3 quilts
Dianne Deaver	-	2 quilts

Jan Selter	-	1 quilt
Margaret Brazelton	-	10 Christmas Stockings
Thea Norum	-	2 quilts
Sharon Andersen	-	1 quilt
Jan Heinrich	-	10 Christmas Stockings
Jant Givens	-	1 quilt
Jim & Nicky Davis	-	6 quilts
Sharron Koslosky	-	2 quilts
Joann Thomas	-	2 quilts
June Muncy	-	10 Christmas Stockings

Thank you all very much!

Until next month!

Dee

*"Being happy doesn't mean everything's perfect.
It means you decide to see beyond the imperfections"*

Submitted by Valerie Wilson

UFO

"UFO"....stands for "Un-Finished-Objects..." with fabric of course! You have 55 days to search for the "#

9" on your list, review what you've done , finish it and bring to the October meeting!!

If you need to update your list OR information on your #9 call me 673-0795 or email

kpsoupp@aol.com

*Karen Peters

310 Club

Four people qualified with five quilts to join the listing of Valley Quilt Guild members

in 2011 who met the criteria for the award. Nicky Davis,

Cathy Evans had 2 quilts, Mary Ann Hayre and Diane Deaver were the 2011 entries. Good work, Ladies!

Requirements for the des-

ignation are: You must have done all the work on the quilt yourself, stitching and quilting. The quilt has to total 310 inches for the four sides.

Call Kathleen Gordon 671-4780 to arrange for measurement and awarding of the silver scissors charm.

Fat Chance

Back to School was the theme for August. Janet Givens was the winner of the basket of "Back to School" fat quarters. We will be looking for an interesting school quilt by

March.

The September theme is "Halloween". Remember a fat quarter equals 1 ticket and 1/2 yard equals 2 tickets. You could be the lucky winner of a basket

of fabric but only if you exchange a fat quarter for a ticket. Cotton fabrics, please.

I also have bookmarks with the theme for each month printed on one

side and the speakers for each month are on the other side. These can be picked up at the "Fat Chance" table.

Nicki Lura

Fat Chance Chairman



Programs and Speakers

Over 30 people enjoyed our August workshop from Linda Ballard. We've already seen some tops that came out of that class, so hopefully a few more will see their way into our quilt show next March.

Wasn't Julie Silber great? I thoroughly enjoyed both her and her quilt with their interesting stories. Also a few ladies were taking advantage of her low cost appraisals the following day.

Marci Baker from Fort Collins, Colorado will join us at our new location in September for a lecture "A Little Girl's Dream to Award Winning Quilts". Her workshop the next day will teach 3D Tumbling Blocks using strip piecing and NO "Y" SEAMS!!! Every level of quilter can be successful at this method. Check out Marci's website at: [http://www.online-](http://www.online-quilting.com/)

[quilting.com/](http://www.online-quilting.com/). Cheryl Gaines will be the contact for this class as I will be out of town. For \$25 you can learn a new way to make a difficult looking pattern!

Laura Nownes will lecture at the October 31 meeting on "Shared Stitches and Stories". Laura is well known for the book "Quilts, Quilts, Quilts" that she co-authored with Diana McClun. It is often

used as a bible for beginning quilters. Check out her blog at: <http://www.lauranownes.com/about.html>

Of course there will be no November meeting so that we can get ready for the holidays and enjoy our Christmas party in December.

Linda Matsumoto and Margaret Brazelton, co-2nd V.P.s

Christmas Party

Tickets for our annual Christmas Party "Santa's Quilt Shop" are now on sale!!!

The party will be on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at Whitaker Hall (44 Second St, Yuba City). Doors will open at 6:00 pm and the dinner program will start promptly at 7:00 pm.

The cost to attend the Christmas Party this year is \$10! Your dinner ticket includes a sit-down dinner with your choice of meat (Tri-tip or Chicken), Door Prizes, Raffle Prizes and lots of fun.

New this year, the Sew So Shop will be setting up a table with items for sale ranging in price from Stocking Stuffers to Quilts Kits.

For the last minute shoppers, maybe you can find a couple items to finish off your Christmas gift list. Or, if you are like me you will find a couple items to buy for yourself which you can then wrap and place under the tree to open Christmas morning!!

This year, we will also be decorating the hall with the Community Service Quilts that will be donated in January 2013. I hope this will give everyone a chance to see the beautiful quilts and remind us why we work so hard to make quilts to donate to those in need.

If you would like to participate we will also be collecting unwrapped Toys

for the Toy Drive as well as Toiletries, Socks, Calendars and Christmas Cards for our Veterans. For the Christmas Cards, please make sure to sign the card with at least your first name and the city where you live.

If you would like to purchase a dinner ticket, please see Wendy Cockrell at a meeting or mail your check and dinner choice (Trip-Tip or Chicken) payable to Valley Quilt Guild to:

Wendy Cockrell
67 Cache River Cir
Sacramento, CA 95831

DEADLINE: All checks

must be received by Wednesday, November 21, 2012. **No dinner tickets will be sold after this date.**

As a reminder, do not lose your dinner ticket as it grants your entry to the dinner and serves as your meal card so our volunteer servers will know which dinner option you chose.

I hope to see all of you in December!



Upcoming Quilt Shows

<p>Sept 15</p>	<p>Golden Valley Quilt Guild Luncheon & Program Orangevale Comm Center 6826 Hazel Ave Orangevale, CA Sat 10-2</p>	<p>Nov 16-18</p>	<p>River Cities Quilt Show Scottish Rite Temple Sacramento, CA Fri & Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4</p>
<p>Oct 6 & 7</p>	<p>Ladies of the Lake Lake Co Fairgrounds 401 Martin St Lakeport, CA Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4</p>	<p>2013----- March 16 & 17</p>	<p>Valley Quilt Guild Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds Yuba City, CA Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4</p>
<p>Nov 10 & 11</p>	<p>Pioneer Quilt Show Roseville Sports Center 1545 Pleasant Grove Blvd Roseville, CA Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4</p>	<p>Mar 23 & 24</p>	<p>North Wind Quilters Fairfield Senior Center 1200 Civic Drive Fairfield, CA Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4</p>
		<p>May 18 & 19</p>	<p>Sun Country Quilters Tehama District Fairgrounds</p>

Quiltmaker Magazine

Diana Tatro submitted this article regarding Quiltmaker Magazine corrections:

From Quiltmaker:

We had a rough day at Quiltmaker last week. We learned that the pull-out pattern section for our Sept/Oct '12 issue (No. 147) was printed at 97% of its correct size.

And then it got worse. We

determined that the July/August issue's (No. 146) pattern section had also been printed at just 97%. And an upcoming newsstand special? Same thing.

For all of the designs that are affected*, we have posted corrected, accurate patterns on our corrections page at Quiltmaker.com/corrections.

All of the digital versions (the Nxtbook flip book and the PDF versions sold

at quiltandsewshop.com) are correct; they did not contain the error.

How much is 3%? In quiltmaking it can be a little or a lot. If we don't cut our fabric patches accurately or sew 1/4" seams, we make slight adjustments to get all the patches and blocks to fit, but we do expect the patterns we start with to be 100% accurate.

When dozens of people

work on a tight schedule to bring you a finished product, and when those people are human, sometimes things go awry. We are sorry. We know it's an inconvenience for our readers. We regret the errors. Please accept our apologies and our pledge to do better.

Kind Regards,

June Dudley
Editor-in-Chief
Quiltmaker

PIQF Bus Trip

PIQF BUS - Friday October 12, 2012

Seats are still available on the bus. The cost is \$60.00 with \$13.00 collected

on the bus for the entry ticket. We will load at 7:00 am and return approximately 7:30 pm from the KMart parking

lot.
Call Kathleen Gordon 671-5780. Your call will be returned if you leave a message.



Officers and Chairpersons for 2012-2013

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	Leann Weldon	743-3298
Vice-President		
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	Linda Matsumoto	701-2887
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Parliamentarian	Cooky Amarel	673-6653

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2013 Quilt Show	Cathy Evans	671-0266
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Block of the Month	Mary Ann Hayre	673-2339
	Julia Blenn	673-8486
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Christmas Party	Wendy Cockrell	916-803-2713
Community Service	Dee Jagerhorn	701-5410
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Fair Liason/Setup	Cooky Amarel	673-6653
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	Wanda Horn	743-6805
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Website	Wendy Cockrell	916-803-2713
UFO	Karen Peters	673-0795
310 Club	Kathleen Gordon	671-5780

VQG Info

Purpose:

To contribute to the knowledge of quilting, to promote the appreciation of fine quilts, to encourage quilt making and collecting and to contribute to the growth and knowledge of quilt techniques, textiles, patterns, history and quilt makers through educational meetings and fellowship.

Meetings:

Meetings are held the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Yuba Sutter Regional Arts Council building at 624 "E" St. in Marysville. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Copy ready submissions to the newsletter are **due the last day of the month by 5:00 p.m. to the Newsletter person.** Please direct any questions or comments to the Yuba-Sutter Valley Quilt Guild, P. O. Box 1463, Yuba City, CA 95992. Web site: www.valleyquiltguild.com

Membership:

Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts and quilting regardless of skill level. You are urged to join and learn with us. Dues are \$20.00 payable annually. Membership is from July 1 through June 30. Membership entitles you to a newsletter, to an annual membership roster (which is confidential), and to the use of the library of quilt books, patterns and stencils. Affiliate membership fee is \$24.00 with a business listing each month. Affiliate members receive 10% discount for paying a year of ads paid in advance. Submit to Yuba-Sutter Valley Quilt Guild, P. O. Box 1463, Yuba City, CA 95992.



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Business Listing	Free	N/A
Business Card Ad	\$5	\$10
Quarter Page	\$10	\$20
Half Page	\$15	\$30
Full Page	\$20	\$40

Board Meeting Minutes

VALLEY QUILT GUILD BOARD MEETING SEPTEMBER 5, 2012

Members present: Leann Weldon, Cheryl Gaines, Linda Matsumoto, Nancy Wilson, Gladys Harris, Cooky Amarel, Mary Ann Hayre, Brenda Reeves, Wendy Cockrell, Dee Jagerhorn, Valerie Wilson, Nicki Lura, Sharon Easter, and Karen Peters.

President: The meeting was called to order by President Leann Weldon at 7:05 p.m. The board met at Randy Gaines' office (Cheryl's husband) as the Fremont/Rideout Conference Center was occupied.

Secretary: The minutes of the August 1, 2012 board meeting were read and approved. The guild received a letter of appreciation from MSgt. Grady U. Burnette on behalf of the 9th Communication Squadron Commander and Spouse's Club at Beale Air Force Base. They thanked the guild for our generous donation of baby quilts to their new arrivals and their families. The letter went on to say that our kind gesture will no doubt boost morale at Beale Air Force Base for the young men and women who proudly serve in our United States Air Force. Also, they appreciate the time and efforts that go into making such beautiful quilts.

Treasurer: The checking account currently has a balance of \$2,502.88. The balance of the savings account is currently \$18,703.76. Our expenditures currently exceed our income in the amount of \$2,327.69. There was discussion regarding affiliate membership and ad discrepancies.

Nancy indicated that the Chairpersons who submit expense vouchers must sign on the "Approved By" line. Nancy will not in attendance the September 26th general meeting.

Membership: The guild has 149 members and 7 affiliate members.

Old Business:

Sharon Easter and Cooky Amarel announced that the internal review of the Treasurer's books for the Guild and the Quilt Show have been completed. Both needed little adjustments. A new information sheet and review sheet are being worked on so that the review process will be easier and smoother in the future.

Regarding the new meeting location, Carleen Hagen has been given a check for our September and October meetings at the Arts Council in Marysville. Valerie Wilson questioned whether we will need tables for the upcoming meeting. Leann and Valerie will go to the Arts Council and look things over. It was decided that we would see how the first meeting goes, and then address our needs. The doors will open at 6:15 p.m. with the meeting starting at 7 p.m.

Cooky stated that she would speak to Regina Goodie, Yuba-Sutter Fair Manager, as to whether or not the fairgrounds could use the portable stage.

New Business:

Dee Jagerhorn announced that 5 baby quilts were given to Angela Kreider, owner of Women's Circle, Inc. Ms. Kreider had sent a letter to the Guild requesting baby quilts for new mothers.

Twenty-two completed quilts were turned in at the last meeting.

The Christmas stockings must be turned in to Dee at the September general meeting.

There was discussion regarding the size of the wheelchair blankets that are donated to the Shriner's Hospital.

Cathy Evans sent an email to Leann stating that the first Quilt Show Committee meeting will be next month.

Cathy will send an email to the committee members.

General Meeting: September 26, 2012 at the Arts Council, Marysville at 7 p.m.

Board Meeting: October 3, 2012 at 7 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

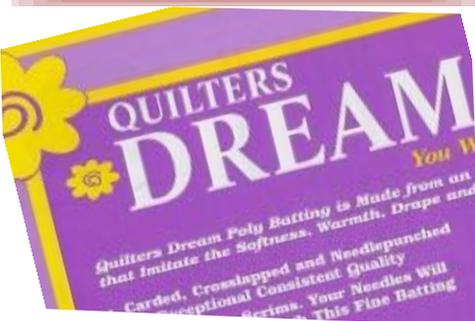
Respectfully submitted,
Gladys Harris



Affiliate Members

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