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FALLBROOK QUILT GUILD



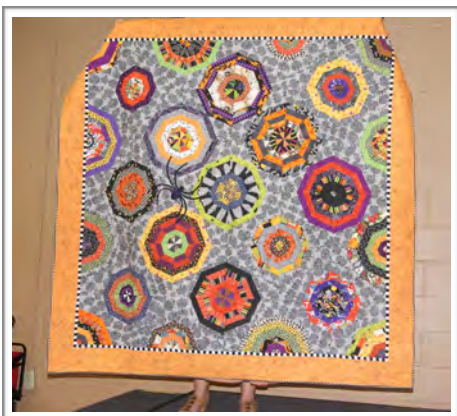
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Busy Quilting Sisters,

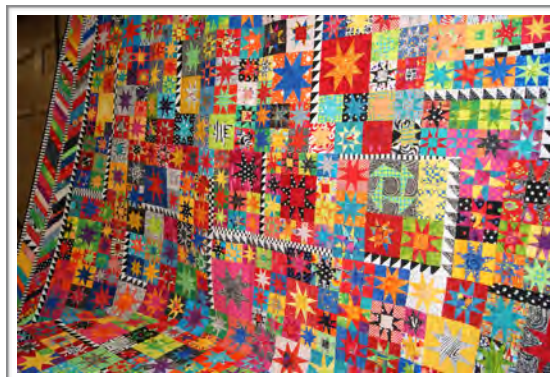
As the countdown continues toward our sure to be fabulous quilt show, I want to thank each and every one of you who have entered quilts in our show, and who have donated so generously to the Auction, Boutique, and Country Store. And many, many thanks to all of you who have volunteered your time and effort to chair and volunteer for our various committees. It is the effort of all involved that brings everything together for the success our quilt show.

Many hugs to all of you!

Shirley Fleming



Our October speaker, Jean Impey, sure wowed us with her vibrant wonders!



GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order: A general membership meeting of the FQG was held at the Fallbrook Community Center in Fallbrook, Ca., on Oct. 1, 2015. The meeting was convened at 6:30 PM, by our presiding President Shirley Fleming, who led the Pledge of Allegiance.

President's Announcements:

- We have 35 days until our quilt show. Several committees still need volunteers to help out. Please see Sandy Scott or Carol Carpenter at the back table to sign up as a volunteer.
- We have lots of donations coming in for the auction, boutique and country store, thank you all.
- Thank you to Deb Raver for the wonderful program/workshop that she did in Sept.
- Minutes for the Sept. general meeting and board meeting were approved and printed in the Sept. newsletter.
- Last call if you want to attend the SCCQG meeting on Sat., Oct. 3rd with Shirley Fleming and Lou Cobb.

Treasurer (Barb Vajda): Our current bank balance is \$19,377.41. Sept. income was \$1366.00; this includes \$249.00 made on opportunity quilt ticket sales. Sept. expenses were \$1335.47

Membership (Ardis Duhachek/Diana Rash): we currently have 65 members signed in, 2 guests and one-member renewal tonight. We now have a total of 109 guild members. Gave out welcome gift bags To the two members that joined in Sept.

Sunshine: Lillian Galante is in the Temecula Hospital for a couple of days. Ann Harris's husband passed away on Sept. 28th, there will be a memorial service in Nov. for him.

Quilt Show (Sandy Scott): several committees are still in need of volunteers, please see us at the back table to sign up. Check clip board to see which committee needs help. **New policy this year for setup day**, only those members who have signed up to help on a committee will be allowed in any area of the show setup. There will be no demos this year, as there were no volunteers.

Quilt Show Committee Chairs:

- **White Gloving** (Gigi Sartor): this year volunteers on this committee will only be passing out gloves, receiving returned gloves, and taking in returned programs to be reused by other guests.
- **Layout** (Connie Follstad): still looking for someone to help her with layout and hopefully take over this committee for 2017.
- **Auction** (Betsy Shirkey): thanks for all the quilts that have been donated for the auction, and we are still accepting donations. Any info that you can provide on the quilt is much appreciated.
- **Country Store** (Paula Manning/Sylvia Williams): if you brought any donations for the store, tonight, Connie Follstad's truck will be parked outside the kitchen doors, please place your donations in her truck after the meeting tonight. Paula and Sylvia will be at the rental storage facility, at the Fallbrook Airpark, on Mon. Oct. 5th from 10-12, if you want to bring any donations to them, please contact them prior to going to the Airpark. They are still in need of volunteers to help with setup and working during the show.
- **Ticket Sales** (Mary Morrison): ticket sales will be in the kiosk. This year we are using wrist bands as proof of admission. Guests will receive a **green** wristband. Current guild members do not have to pay to get into the show, but you must check-in at the kiosk to receive a **pink** wristband.

You may also purchase advance tickets tonight at the coupon price of \$8.00, for anyone that you would like to invite to the show. Still in need of volunteers

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- **Decorations** (Mara Woods): needs help to arrange donated items into decorative pieces, and is in need of help to decorate on setup day
- **Vendors** (Cheryl Jeter): still in need of someone to help with setup. Tina Rainey has volunteered, Thank you Tina!
- **Boutique** (Lou Cobb/Linda Flynn): still in need of volunteers to help with setup and to work in the boutique during the show. Thanks to all who have helped with making items for the boutique. If you have additional donations after tonight, please contact either Lou or Linda. And remember there will be lots of items in the boutique that will be perfect for Christmas decorating and Christmas shopping lists!
- **Concessions** (Jane Larson/Molly Conley): still looking for donations of food and drinks, and volunteers to help.
- **Publicity** (Christy Smith): submitting pictures and show info to two newspapers to publicize our show. Will also be using social media to publicize the show. Bookmarks with show info are still available, if you need some please see Christy, or Lou Cobb.
- **Quilt Entries** (Tina Rainey/Linda Musillami): information on when and where to deliver your quilts for the show is posted on the website, along with directions to Linda's house. If you do not have access to a computer please see Tina, as she has printed all delivery info out.

Quilts are to be delivered to Linda Musillami's home as follows:

Tues. Nov. 3rd from 10am to 1pm

Wed. Nov. 4th from 2pm to 5pm

Shirley thanked all the show committee chairs for volunteering to take the positions they are heading up for the show, and acknowledged that many of the same members also hold board or committee positions in the guild as well.

Hospitality (Tuesday Girls): Thanks again to the Sewing Sisters Friendship group for last month's food and table decorations. Tonight's goodies are provided by Donna Johnson, Shirley Fleming, Gigi Sartor, Dianne Parker, Janice Welch, Vikki Sanchez, Marj Freda, Patti Kass, Linda Wright, and one of our guests Chandell Kaufman.

Dec. 3rd is our Christmas potluck and those whose names start with A-F will bring desserts, and everyone else will bring a salad. The Tuesday Girls will decorate the tables and provide the bread and drinks.

We need signups to bring food for Jan.

Ways and Means (Sharon Baker/Jan Conklin): there are still members that have not paid for their Opportunity quilt tickets, please see us at the table in the back to pay for and pick up your tickets. (If not picked up by the Dec. meeting, she will be calling names) The San Diego Quilt show brought in \$250 in opportunity quilt ticket sales. Still in need of members to help cover 24 hrs. of white gloving at The Palm Springs Quilt Show. White gloving is only 2 hr. shifts. Also in need of help selling opportunity Quilt tickets. If you are going to the show, please sign up and help out with ticket sales or white gloving. Road to Ca. – we have to provide 20 hrs. of white gloving during the four days of the show, again these are 2 hr. shifts. Also need help selling tickets. Here's the incentive to white glove and/or sell tickets at Road – if you sign up for either, you receive FREE admission to the show on that day!!! See Sharon at the back table, during the break to sign up to help at either show.

Shirley thanked Sharon for the fabulous job she is doing with the opportunity quilt and ticket sales.

Program and Workshops (Dawn Johnson): The workshop for Oct. is Spider Block with Jean Impey, Still has some space if you want to sign up at the break. There will be no workshops in Nov. and Dec, our next workshop is in Jan. – "Quilts of Love". There are great workshops coming up next, please check them out. Dawn introduced Jean Impey, tonight's speaker – "Finding Your Passion and Running with It."

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BREAK

Show and Tell: Lou Cobb, Tina Rainey, Barb Vajda, Ann Turley, Barb Anderson, Nora Fusco, Mary Morrison, Sandy Scott, Carol Harpin, Sheryl Kaplan, Lois Sprague, Judy Ortega, Dianne Parker, Karen Granoff, Dawn Johnson, Ann Ondraka, Sharon Baker, Mara Woods, and Jan Welch. Several quilts from show and tell were donated to the quilt auction.

Cup and a Quarter: cups/baskets were donated by Tina Rainey, Ann Turley, Robin Howell, and Jan Larson. Winners are Betsy Shirkey, Diana Rash, Tina Rainey, Ann Ondraka, and Sue Burns.

Door Prizes: winners are Karen Granoff, Linda Lane, Sharon Baker, Donna Johnson, Roxanne Kruse, Connie Follstad, Carol Kratzer. Nora Fusco, Barb Vajda, and Wendy Bean.

Monthly Drawing winner is Karen Granoff.

Block of the Month winner is Jo Anne Russell

Our next Executive Board meeting is Fri. Oct. 9th at 11am, at the Quilter's Cottage.

Shirley gave one last reminder for volunteers to please sign up and help on a show committee.

Meeting adjourned at 9:07 pm

Minutes submitted by Cheryl Jeter – Secretary.



Sisters friendship group measuring fabrics for the Country Store.

Linda Lane, Mary Morrison, Anne Ondraka



Ardis Duhachek, Linda Flynn and Lou Cobb
Three of our Boutique donors showing off some wares.

Answers to "Just For Fun" on last page: Top row; Nora Fusco, Mary Morrison, Ann Turley.
Bottom row: Carol Carpenter (Viewer's Choice Award), Barb Anderson and Irene Althaus.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order: An Executive Board/Committee meeting of the FQG was held at the Quilter's Cottage, in Fallbrook, Ca. on Oct. 9, 2015. The meeting was convened at 11 A.M. by presiding President Shirley Fleming. Members present were Barb Vajda, Cheryl Jeter, and Sandy Scott.

President's Announcements (Shirley Fleming): Lou Cobb and Shirley attended the SCCQG meeting on Oct. 3, 2015. Shirley said the attendance was about 40 people. Topic of the meeting was "Using Social Media to Promote Your Guild."

Lou and Shirley sold about 15 opportunity quilt tickets. In addition to our opportunity quilt there were 3 other guilds selling tickets for their quilts as well. After the meeting Shirley and Lou visited 3 quilt stores on the way home.

Membership Report (Shirley Fleming for Ardis Duhachek) We currently have 109 guild members.

Committee Reports:

Treasurer's Report (Barb Vajda): As of Oct. 9th our bank balance is \$16,676.44. Income for Oct. is currently \$1033.00, this includes \$144.00 in presages of quilt show tickets. Expenses for Oct. to date are \$3923.97, this includes a check for Sandy Scott to Abbey Rents for the drapes, poles and lighting for the quilt show. Barb will be contacting Marie Sundsboe - quilt show treasurer - on coordinating the collection of monies from the quilt show.

Quilt Show (Sandy Scott): Sandy met with the pastor of Son Rise Church on Wed. Oct 7th to go over preparations for the setting up of the quilt show. We will need to rent more lattice work and possibly some additional tables. The pastor is

reviewing the number of tables they have available for us to use. Cheryl Jeter has several 4' and 6' tables available that can be used at the quilt show. We now have enough volunteers for all the committees at the show. Gigi Sartor is working out one white glove spot with a member, otherwise all committees look good now.

Sandy will post the "donation" form on the website. If you donate items to the quilt show, you can print this form out to use for your taxes.

Credit card sales at the show. Due to some issues with PayPal and swiping the chipped credit cards, we will now be using "Square" readers instead. Sandy and Marie will be scheduling training meetings, with all members that will be working in areas of the quilt show, that will be using the credit card readers.

Vendors (Cheryl Jeter): we had 12 vendors but one pulled out this week, and is relinquishing their booth fee. At this time it is too close to the show that find a replacement to come into our show. Cheryl will be sending a list of vendors and

products they are selling to Shirley Fleming, Sandy Scott - to post on the website, Diana Rash - for the show program, and Christy Smith for the newsletter.

Ways and Means (Shirley Fleming for Sharon Baker): there is a joint venture between Ways and Means and the Boutique, for the Myrtle Creek Fall Festival, Oct 24th and 25th. Please contact Lou Cobb if interested in helping out at the Festival.

Misc. topics discussed:

- Sandy Scott presented a suggestion to post a picture of our scholarship winners on the website, and also post on our FB page. This acknowledges our winner and hopefully will encourage applicants during the year.
- Sandy Scott discussed with the pastor at Son Rise Church the possibility of the guild having our meeting in their chapel. The pastor is working up a quote on rental costs for us. The chapel should be able to accommodate us, but we will be evaluating this before a final decision is made. It will hold up to 300 with just chairs, and will accommodate 125 with tables setup. The Community Center has already notified us that there will be an increase in our rent in July 2016.
- Sandy Scott will post our articles of incorporation up on the website.

Meeting adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Submitted by Cheryl Jeter - Secretary



Quilt Size Information

This is a last minute reminder for those entering quilts larger than 80" wide by 95" long.

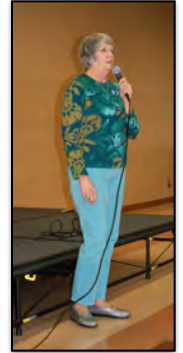
The sleeve must be a split sleeve so we can put a ring in the middle; otherwise the quilt will be too heavy for the pole. If the quilt is longer than 95", you must hem up or pin up the quilt so it won't drag/hang on the floor.

If you haven't pinned or hemmed the quilt before you take it to Tina and Linda, they will have pins there, and you will be asked to pin the quilt before you leave it.

Set-up people WILL NOT pin the bottom for you on set-up day.

Hope you all enjoy the show!

Sandy Scott
Quilt Show Chair



What do I do with my quilts for the quilt show?????

Linda Musillami and I (Tina Rainey) will be collecting all the quilts for the quilt show. There are two days that you can drop off your quilts to us:

TUESDAY, November 3rd from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm - and
WEDNESDAY, November 4th from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Drop off location: Linda Musillami's house 1744 Via Entrada, Fallbrook, CA (865) 924-7033. See map attached to this email.

Requirements:

1. Make sure your sleeve (instructions on webpage under 'Quilt Shows') is sewn on the top of quilt.
 - a) if you have a large quilt, divide the sleeve so there is an opening in the middle (for loops)
 - b) **Fold your quilt so the BACK RIGHT is at the top of the folded quilt.**
2. If your quilt is King-sized, make sure it is pinned/basted UP to 95"
3. Clean your quilt (wash or put in dryer, etc.) so it is free from animal hair.
4. You will receive a receipt for all the quilts you enter. Receipt **MUST** be presented to collect your quilt at the end of the show on Saturday.
5. Please call Tina (760) 223-2560 or Linda (865) 924-7033 if you have to make special plans for delivery of your quilt.
6. ALL quilts need to be tagged for placement in the show. If you need to deliver the quilt directly to the church, you **MUST** come to Linda's for the bags, tags and receipts for your quilts.

OUR QUILT SHOW VENDORS

Please support their booths and thank them for participating.

1) ABC Patterns

Sally Bertetto 951-246-3767 www.abcpatterns.com

Quilt patterns featuring classic and whimsical designs, for both
Beginner and advanced quilters

2) Oldies but Goodies

Sharon Walters 760-723-9906

Vintage items, fabrics and quilt tops

3) Quilt Passions

Robert Barry 808-329-7475 www.quiltpassions.net

Quilting kits, patterns, fabric and books

4) Quilter's Cottage

Jan Chow and Diane Miller 760-723-3060 www.myquilterscottage.com

Large selection of quilt patterns, patterns, kits and classes for every level of quilter.

5) Summit Wood Products

Kurt Lira 719- 201-5414 www.summitwoodproducts.com

Custom built quilt ladders, quilt racks, and unique seam rippers

6) The Batty Lady

Alicia Campbell 909-816-2545 www.thebattylady.com

Quilt batting from Hobbs and Quilter's Dream; queen size batik backs
From Sew Batik, and Wonderfil Thread.

7) The Happy Quilter

Kris Hamblen 760-535-2502

Custom quilts, purses, children's purses, and custom quilting services

8) The Victorian Angel

Patti Sherwin 951-925-9731

Pre-cuts, 1yd basics, patterns, notions and kits

Submitted by Cheryl Jeter - Quilt Show Vendor Chair

NEWS AROUND THE GUILD...



Cup and a Quarter

Thanks to the generous contributions by Tina Rainey, Ann Turley, Jane Larson and Robin Howell, we raised \$93 at the October meeting. The lucky winners were: Anne Ondraka, Sue Burns, Tina Rainey, Diana Rash and Betsy Shirkey. Congratulations!!!. Thanks to all for your support Vivian Borgstrom and Betsy Shirkey

The October monthly drawing was a charming picnic basket donated by the Easy Piecers friendship group. The handmade basket from North Carolina was filled with gorgeous placemats made by Dixie Johns and lovely napkins. Thank you Easy Piecers. The lucky winner was Karen Grannon.



SUNSHINE REPORT

Tiffany Ortega was honored as Oceanside Teacher of the Year at a Gala in San Diego. Congratulations Tiffany!

Ann Harris' husband Bill passed away on September 28th. Everyone interested in attending a memorial service for Bill is welcome. The service will be held at Sonrise church on Stagecoach at 11:00 am, November 14. A lunch in the chapel will follow.

Roberta Balla is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Sylvia Williams has been released from the hospital and is undergoing treatment at home. Prayers and cards are welcome.

Irene Althaus, Sunshine

New renewing member

Josie Wald
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HOSPITALITY REPORT

Thanks to everyone for making the table so inviting and welcoming! We had some very creative members that made their food in the Halloween theme! I loved the deviled eggs! I'm sure even the fussiest of eaters would have tried those! There was food for every taste and we thank those who brought the goodies. Who are those members? I have the list and want to thank Shirley Fleming, Janice Welch, Gigi Sartor, Dianne Parker, Donna Johnson, Vikki Sanchez, Marj Freda, Patti Kass and Linda Wright.

Just to refresh memories and for those unable to attend, we talked about having members decorate for our December meeting and that was not supported by the membership. In keeping with the idea of simplicity, it was decided that we would have a Food Drive on the evening of our meeting and have the Hospitality Committee decorate (simply) for the Pot Luck dinner. We also decided that we would have salads and desserts, but more on that next month! We are working on some entertainment so the December meeting should be a great time. Until then, thanks again for the October goodies and let's have a GREAT Quilt Show!

Anne Ottemann and Committee

JUST FOR FUN!

While waiting for my computer to update, I was browsing photos from the 2013 quilt show. We have some very unique and prolific quilters in our group....can you guess from "their style" who created these beauties?
Answers on previous page at end of Gen. Mtg. minutes



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