



The Village Quilter

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A quilter's garden

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Thank you Dixie!

Celebrating September Birthdays



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- 1 – Jane Larson
- 11 – Kathy Proctor
- 13 – Tina Rainey
- 15 – Cindy Stephen
- 17 – Gigi Sartor
- 18 – Julie Parker
- 25 – Nancy Miller
- 29 – Gayle Luczyk

Message from the President

Summer will soon be in our rearview mirror and I'm looking forward to fall with cooler days, pumpkin spice and trees changing color. My summer has been busy with cruise to Alaska and my annual quilting retreat in Whitehorse, Yukon Canada. Now I'm trying to catch up on a monthly class I've been taking at Quilter's Cottage (Long Time Gone, Jen Kingwell with 78 blocks; which includes 64ea flying geese, 30ea 60° triangles, 16ea 5" pineapples and 21ea 3" churn dash blocks—to just mention a few). The class/quilt is scheduled to be done in December!

Please check out our "Year at a Glance" calendar for upcoming programs and workshops! Our next general meeting is Thursday, September 5th at 6pm (doors open at 5:30pm) and your 2024-25 Membership Rosters will be available for pickup. Don't forget to bring your Show & Tell!

May your bobbins always be full!

Becky Forbes

FQG President



Messages from the 1st VP

Dear Guild members,

Exciting programs are coming every month; or at least I hope you will find them exciting. 😊

At the September meeting our very own Temre Marciano will be presenting her Poppins Bag along with some surprise guests. 2nd VP Julie Murray is handling the workshop sign-up and will be posting a supply list so you can get those creative juices flowing way before the class.

Just a reminder..... If you missed the meeting when I mentioned visiting the weavers from the Steam Engine Museum, they use cotton fabrics and can use our leftover WOF strips. I will have a collection box at our meetings and deliver the strips, unless you would like to visit them and see exactly what they are doing, all to help keep the museum afloat. See me at a meeting or give me a call if you have any questions.

Just ANOTHER reminder.... The guild in Big Bear is having their show on August 31 – September 1 and our last speaker, Tina Curran will be one of the many vendors. I have been to their shows and it is definitely worth the drive!

See you soon,

Penny Bottomly

1st Vice President



New Challenge Starting Soon!

As promised, I have a new challenge in the works for you. I'm calling it **The Sing Along Sew Along**. Music is everywhere and influences all of us throughout our lives. What's your favorite song and how do you see it interpreted as a quilt? There are literally hundreds of thousands of songs to choose from and I know there's one out there that you would like to use as your inspiration. If you prefer to work with a pattern, think of songs that reference the familiar - Stormy Weather, The Bear Went Over the Mountain. Maybe Silver Threads and Golden Needles. How about nursery rhymes? I've included my quilt illustrating Baa Baa Black Sheep. I will list a few titles every month if you need inspiration. This challenge starts now and ends with our June 2025 meeting. Put on your thinking caps and start planning!

ANN

PS Of course I'm going to toss in a zinger or two! See me at the September meeting so I can help you get started.



Ann Turley

Quilt- Related Programs and Workshops

Quilt Show!???

Will it happen? We are in desperate need of a member(s) to chair or co-chair our bi-annual event! Planning for the event should start in October 2024 and we have not found a replacement for Sandy Scott (who has chaired the event for many, many years). Sandy has all duties well documented and you will have lots of help from your fellow guild members. We need to fill the Quilt Show Chairman position NOW so the location contract can be secured and we can move forward with other necessary preplanning items. Please contact our President, Becky Forbes, if you or your team would be interested in taking on this important position. If we don't fill the position, the 2025 Quilt Show will not happen. Since the inception of our guild, there have been 15 quilt shows; please don't let 2023 be our last.

Quilt Show Food Truck

A suggestion was made to engage a food truck for the next quilt show in lieu of managing our own food booth. This would reduce the workload for guild members and eliminate the risk of financial loss. The church has agreed to allow a food truck on the property providing it has insurance.

We are looking for someone to research local food trucks and confirm insurance, food licensing and suitability for our show. That person will also need to coordinate food truck logistics before and during the show.

If you are willing to take on this responsibility, please email Sandy Scott at Sandy.Scott2010@gmail.com.

Message from Membership

Membership Reminder

The 2024-25 Membership Directory will be distributed at the September meeting along with your membership card and a guest pass for current members.

See you then!

Ardis & Tricia

Membership co-chairs

Introducing Airtable

Airtable is an app that gives the FQG an online membership directory. It is very similar to an Excel spreadsheet, but online.

The Board has approved for Membership to check out **Airtable** this year. A paper Membership Directory is also provided this year for members who have paid dues for this year.

The app can be used on your phone, computer, or tablet. By using **Airtable**, the most recent membership information will be available 24/7. Currently, the paper copy of the membership directory, is current as of August 1st. Any new members or updates are not found in the paper directory.

With **Airtable**, we can create many “views”. In addition to the membership list view, a Birthday View was created. The birthday view would be helpful for the Birthday table and/or the newsletter.

Members will have “**Read Only**” status. They can read and download or print the roster.

We have a limited number of members who can add, delete or edit the membership information. There is no cost to use **Airtable**, as we are using a free version.

For security concerns:

The only way anyone can access **Airtable** is if they are **“invited.”** The only people who will be invited to **Airtable** are paid FGQ members.

There is no universal password for **Airtable**. Each user creates their own unique password. Your login is the email address you provided to the FGQ.

After the October General meeting, members will be sent an email **“Invitation”** to join **Airtable** by Ardis Duhachek. Before I email your invitation, I will send an email with more information.

For members who prefer not to join **Airtable**, you can ignore the **“Invitation”**. Also, you can send an email to Ardis.duhachek@gmail.com requesting no **“Invitation”** be sent.

For questions, please contact me by email.

Thanks

Ardis Duhachek

Ardis.Duhachek@gmail.com

Co-Chair Membership





Quilter's Cottage
 131 East Fig Street, Suite 6
 Fallbrook, CA 92028
 760-723-3060
 myquilterscottage.com

Attention FQG Members!

Mention this ad on meeting days to enjoy
20% off your entire purchase!*

*Please note: This offer excludes classes and sale items.

Year At a Glance

Fallbrook Quilt Guild
 YEAR AT A GLANCE

Year	Month	General Meeting (1st Thursday @ Community Center)			Workshop (Saturday Following General Meeting @ FPUD)			Executive Board Meeting (2nd Wednesday @ FRHD)		
		Date	Time	What	Date	Time	What	Date	Time	What
2024	July	11-Jul	1pm	Event Honoring Veterans @ FRHD	10-Jul		No workshop this July	9-Jul	1pm	Meeting
	August	1-Aug	6pm	Tina Curran	3-Aug	9am	Tina Curran, Herringbone-Anza	7-Aug	1pm	Meeting
	September	5-Sep	6pm	Bag Lady Skit & Penny to talk on Canine Companions	7-Sep	9am	Temre Marciano, Poppins Bag	11-Sep	1pm	Meeting
	October	3-Oct	1pm	Karen Brow-Meyer	5-Oct	9am	Karen Brow-Meyer, Fancy Feathers & Frogs	9-Oct	1pm	Meeting
	November	7-Nov	1pm	Linda Sullivan, Colourwex	9-Nov	9am	Linda Sullivan, Machine Applique Shannon Brinkley's method	13-Nov	1pm	Meeting
	December	5-Dec	1pm	Potluck, Holiday Gift Exchange	---		No workshop in December	---		No board meeting in December
2025	January			No general meeting in January			No workshop in January	15-Jan	1pm	Meeting
	February	6-Feb	1pm	Kristie Naranjo	8-Feb	9am	Kristie Naranjo, Scrappy Applique	12-Feb	1pm	Meeting
	March	6-Mar	1pm	Program?	8-Mar			12-Mar	1pm	Meeting
	April	3-Apr	6pm	Program?	5-Apr			9-Apr	1pm	Meeting
	May	1-May	6pm	Election, Shelley Swanland	3-May	9am	Shelley Swanland, Plant Prints on Fabrics	7-May	1pm	Meeting
	June	5-Jun	6pm	Potluck, Installation, Opportunity Quilt Drawing	7-Jun	9am	Turnover meeting	11-Jun	1pm	Meeting

Upcoming Events

El Camino Quilters guild meetings:

www.elcaminoquilters.com

August 13, 2024 meeting (guest fee \$10)

Speaker: Colleen Granger www.sewlittletimequilting.com

Lecture: "A Bodacious Trunk Show"

August 14 Workshop: "Fantabulous"

Workshop held at Quilt in a Day quilt shop in San Marcos, CA

Workshop fee \$55

September 14, 2024 – Free - Open to Everyone

Guild Fund raiser: Silent Auction and Fabric Mega Sale

SILENT AUCTION AND

MEGA SALE

September 14, 2024 10:00-2:00 pm

United Methodist Church of Vista - 490 South Melrose
Drive Vista, CA 92081

Don't miss the Biggest Sale of the Year for
Quilters **and** Non-Quilters throughout the North
County San Diego Area. This event promises to
be bigger and better than ever!

We've received hundreds of yards of fabric off the bolt
and tons of pre-cuts still in their original packaging
ready for purchase at
incredible prices. Finished goods and
gift items galore!

A variety of Theme Baskets and exciting items
will be available for bid throughout the day
including a Singer Featherweight!

Free admission and free parking

Refreshments available for purchase



Presented by El Camino Quilters – www.elcaminoquilters.com

Theme Baskets
Holiday Items
Antique Quilts
Vintage Blocks
Fat Quarters \$1
Thread
Rulers
Supplies
Machines
Fabric \$4 yard
Patterns
Notions
Panels
Wall Hangings
Clothing items
Jewelry
Note Cards
Aprons
Layer Cakes
Jelly Rolls
Fat Quarter
Bundles
Gift Items
Quilt Show
Quilt Kits
Wool
Bead supplies
Quilt Art
Pillows
Tote Bags
...and MORE !



2025 Patchwork Pirates Quilting Cruise

Embark on a delightful fusion of quilting and cruising excellence with Stitchin' Heaven on this captivating 7-night Caribbean Cruise! Join the creative voyage led by quilting virtuosos *Donna Thomas and Wendy Mathson*. Refine your quilting prowess amid the enchanting Caribbean backdrop.

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