

April 14, 2025



**Our Next Meeting
will be on Monday,
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pm, in person.
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FLYING GEESE QUILTERS GUILD

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President's Message

By Cindy Hinds

As the days get longer and Spring weather approaches, my mind goes to gardening, refurbishing my flowerpots and preparing for the beautiful days ahead. Gardening . . . That brings to mind the Flying Geese Quilters Guild.



I have been asked what my focus will be this year, and I have given it a great deal of thought. I believe the best I can offer the guild is to focus on "Growing the Guild." New members are our future. New members bring enthusiasm, new skills and interests, new volunteers, and longevity. I believe that to remain a thriving guild, we must grow. But the question is "HOW?" I don't think that we can simply rely on potential members finding us, *we must find them* and once we find them, we need to embrace and involve them.

Again, the question is "HOW?" The answer is YOU! Each of us has the ability to grow our guild. Next time you are at a fabric store, a retreat, or chatting in a booth at a quilt show, talk about our guild, share a bookmark, and extend an invitation to a meeting. I know this works because I've done it! Bring a sewing friend to a meeting as your guest and share this wonderful community with them. Don't be shy! You aren't selling anything! You are giving others the opportunity for friendship, learning, community service and creativity. Plus you are doing your part to tend and help grow our guild.

Join us at the Stonefire Grill at 4:30 pm before the Guild meeting, to meet our speaker, be with other guild members, and relax before the meeting.



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Program Feature—Next Meeting

Coming in April—David Owen Hastings!



Lecture: Quilt Labels to Love

April 14, 2025

We are looking forward to seeing **David Owen Hastings!** He will be live on Zoom at our in-person meeting at Rancho San Joaquin Middle School. This is a new format for us, and we will be trying this out for the first time! Please plan to come in person, enjoy what our guild has to offer, then see David as he joins us live-streaming on our big screen!

David is a modern quilter, graphic designer, print and textile artist, and was the 2020 President of the Seattle Modern Quilt Guild. He creates richly layered contemporary artwork and modern minimal quilt and textile designs. For over 20 years, David has exhibited his artwork in galleries and juried shows, and he works exclusively with non-profit organizations on their branding and fundraising communications. In this live stream Zoom lecture he will show us how to combine computer-printed custom labels with a woven logo label on our quilts to give them a professional finish, and to record important details for posterity (or for the recipient). Quilts are a wonderful art form, and he feels you should sign your work with a distinctive label. It's a great opportunity for you to consistently brand your quilts, especially those you gift to others on holidays or other special occasions.

It's also an opportunity to weave in the story of your quilt, so the story doesn't get lost. Was the quilt made for a special occasion? Was it made from a pattern, based on tradition, or is it a unique design? Who were the makers, and where was it made? Are there special fabrics used that require particular care? Imagine someone seeing your creation in the future: what would you want them to know?

David will walk participants through the steps to create these beautiful labels and will share alternate labeling methods that draw from his graphic design background.



Coming Attractions—Program Updates Continued

Challenge Quilts—May 12th

Enjoy a little quilt show made up of Challenge Quilts completed by our members! Our theme is **“What Goes Around, Comes Around”** on May 12th.

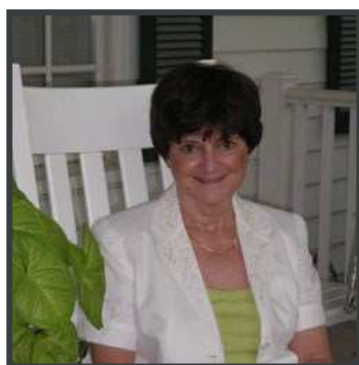
You will hear from each participant as they talk about their quilt and what inspired and challenged them.

The turn-in date for the challenge quilts is April 14, at our guild meeting. You still have time to finish, (or start!) your challenge quilt! It will be a fun meeting to be dazzled by the creativity of our own members! We thank Kathleen Quinn for heading up our Quilt Challenge this year.



May is also our guild’s 40th anniversary. We have a committee who has volunteered to plan a special anniversary celebration in December. Stay tuned for more information!

Coming June 9th—Nancy Prince



We are excited to welcome award-winning quilter, **Nancy Prince.** Nancy is an award-winning quilt artist from Orlando, Florida, specializing in thread painting. Her “anyone-can-do-it approach” to thread painting is fun, easy, and a new way for quilters to broaden their quilting experience.

Nancy’s quilts have won numerous awards: the most prestigious being the 2014 Best of Show at the International Quilt Festival in Houston, the 2015 Best of World at Mancuso’s Quilt World in New England, and the Marie White Masterpiece award at Road to California. Her quilts have also won 9 Best of Show awards, and 20 Viewer’s Choice awards. Nancy is the author of two books: Simple Thread Painting and Thread Painting with Style. She has taped episodes for “Simply Quilts” and “The Quilt Show” with Alex Anderson and Ricky Tims and has appeared in national magazines.

Nancy is addicted to thread painting and her enthusiasm in workshops can be contagious!!! Students comment on her commitment to one-on-one attention and her upbeat attitude. She travels the country teaching and lecturing to anyone who will listen to share the excitement and creativity thread painting brings to her quilting world. She excels in taking the mystique out of thread painting, making it easy for anyone to master.

Coming Attractions—Workshop Updates



There are no workshops in April or May.

On Sunday, June 8, 2025, we are happy to present award-winning quilt artist, **Nancy Prince**. She is known for her unique form of free-motion Machine Embroidery. Nancy will teach us “Thread Painting” by creating her amazing thread painted “Woodlands” design on fabric.

This workshop offers a hands-on introduction to free-motion machine embroidery, a creative way to embellish your quilts. With Nancy’s “anyone-can-do-it” approach, participants will learn how to use their sewing machine as a “paintbrush,” with the quilt top serving as the “canvas,” and thread as the “paint.” A printed photograph will be supplied to boost your confidence in creating this project.



This new skill will help you to embellish your quilts and other fabric projects. All skill levels are welcome!

A kit is required for this class which costs \$19. This includes custom-printed background fabric, 3 pieces of stabilizer, instruction booklet and practice products. A 6” machine embroidery hoop is also required. If you need one, you can order it for an additional \$11.50 at the time of sign-ups.

The workshop will be held at Orange Quilt Bee from 10am to 4pm.

The cost is \$40 for the workshop, \$19 for the kit and \$11.50 for the machine embroidery hoop (optional.)

You can sign up at the next guild meeting or by contacting Gail – check the directory for contact information.

Coming Attractions—Workshop Updates Continued

On July 13, we are excited to present our own **Yvonne Webb** teaching us tips and tricks for making “ByAnnie” bags. Our project will be **“Stash and Dash” organizer**, perfect for organizing car necessities, first aid or sewing supplies and more.

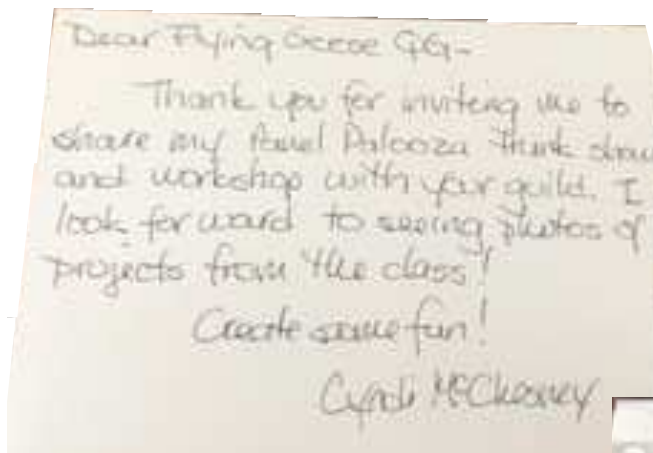
You will learn how to work with Soft and Stable (the unique product created by Annie), zippers, stretchy mesh, vinyl, a new way for binding, and how to cover strapping.

This workshop will be held at Orange Quilt Bee from 10am to 4pm and the cost is \$40.

Sign-ups begin at the April 14th guild meeting.



Thank you note from Cyndi McChesney . . .



2025 Quilt Show

By Sue Glass

2025 Quilt Show News

Show dates – Oct 10/11 at the Murray Center in Mission Viejo

Volunteer Needed

We need a manager for hanging and taking down the quilts at the show. Someone who has been on the hanging and take down crew before and knows how it all works would be perfect. Is that you? Let Sue Glass know if you can help. We need you!!

The schedule for entering quilts is out: The online entry form will open on May 1 and close on July 14. **Ellen Reibling** will be at guild or available on the phone if you need help with your entry. You may enter up to 2 quilts in the main display plus a 2025 challenge quilt. If you have a quilt or other project made from a workshop taught by one of our visiting speakers (Zoom or in person) we would love to see it in the show. This will not be a separate display, but we will put a special sign on each of the workshop creations to show what wonderful workshops we have at Flying Geese.

Remember that your quilt does not have to be finished to enter it, but it must be far enough along in construction that you are sure it will be ready for the show. Quilts to be judged will be collected on September 20 and instructions for turning them in will be provided as we get closer to the time. Judging will take place on September 29, and we will need scribes and helpers on that day. Quilts that are not to be judged will be brought to the Murray Center on Oct 10, time and room to be provided as we near the show date.

See **Mary Lu Booker** at guild to get your ticket packet for the lovely opportunity quilt. Help us reach our goal of \$10,000 for this quilt.

Call or email Sue Glass to volunteer for the hanging and takedown position, please!

Sue Glass
2025 Quilt Show Chair

2025 Quilt Show—Continued

By Michelle Howe & Mary Lu Booker

2025 Opportunity Quilt Ticket Sales Have Begun!

Have you bought your Opportunity Quilt tickets yet?

We need ALL of our guild members to buy a packet of tickets and support the guild as we fundraise to keep bringing in all the wonderful speakers you love to hear.

In three months, Mary Lu Booker has handed out 70 packets and collected a total of \$2,655 towards our goal of \$10,000!

We need to continue selling tickets for the next 7 months to reach our goal. We can only do this with your help. If you can't make it to the guild meeting, contact Mary Lu and she will fill out the tickets for you.

The packet of tickets is \$35 – (7 sets of 6 tickets, our usual \$1 each or 6 tickets for \$5.)



To make things easier for everyone, we are asking you to pay for your tickets when you get them. Then, if you wish to sell them, you may. No prepay is necessary for any additional packets you wish to sell.

Please bring your \$35 cash or check (make check payable to Flying Geese Quilters Guild) to our April meeting.

- Fabulous prize for the top seller
- Monthly drawings for a \$25 gift certificate to Orange Quilt Bee for those turning in \$35 worth of ticket sales. Anyone picking up and paying for their packet is entered into the evening's drawing.

Congratulations to **Julie Layne**, who was the March winner of our Orange Quilt Bee gift card.

Michelle Howe
Mary Lu Booker
Opportunity Quilt Sales Co-Chairs

2025 Quilt Show—Continued

Raffle Baskets for 2025 Quilt Show

By Eileen Wintemute

There will be a raffle at this year's quilt show and we are once again asking Friendship Groups or Individuals to donate themed baskets for the raffle. We already have the following themes spoken for by Friendship Groups:

- Summer Picnic
- Christmas Holiday
- Sunday Brunch
- Red and White
- Laundry Basket
- Game Night

We also have guild members donating items on an individual basis! We have up to about 9 raffle items so far!

If you, or your Friendship Group, pick a theme for a basket, please let me know so I can advertise that, so we don't get baskets with the same theme.

We have some items in the Guild Storage that would be nice to help fill baskets with these themes:

- Southwestern
- Halloween or Autumn
- Child
- Red, White, and Blue
- Reproduction Fabric

If you would like these items for your basket, let me know and I will bring them to a guild meeting or make other arrangements. (Check the directory for contact information.)

Thank you for all of your support for the Guild. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Eileen Wintemute



2025 Quilt Show—Continued

Quilt Show Boutique

By Darla Cox

We started out very strong with our boutique donations. You are honoring your commitment to your guild. Thank You! Keep it up everyone! We have received holiday wall hangings, tote bags, large carry bags, small zipper pouches, table mats, holiday table runners and lots more. I will have small kits, patterns, and inspiration at the guild meetings. Come check it out. Here is a sampling of items we have received.

Darla Cox
Boutique Chair



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By Julia Renaud

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Kathy "KP" Peysar Owner / Quilter



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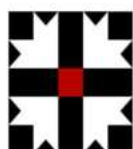
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Quilt Challenge

By Kathleen Quinn

WHAT GOES AROUND, COMES AROUND

I know everyone is still busy working on their quilt challenge. I can't wait to see all the quilts and see how they come up with the use of the challenge theme and fabrics.

Below are the links if you want to see the contest rules and need some theme ideas:

Contest Rules: https://www.flying-geese.org/challenge_quilts.html

Project Ideas: <https://www.pinterest.com/tclevelandrdh/what-goes-around-comes-around/>



Final Due Date: April 14th at the General Meeting, please bring in your completed quilts in a pillowcase or similar custom fabric case with your label to protect your quilts along with the entry form. Attached is a copy of the entry form if needed. If you cannot finish the quilt by the April 14th meeting, please make arrangements to have it delivered to me before April 24th at my home address.

Enjoy and have fun!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me (check the member directory for contact information.)

(entry form on next page)

Quilt Challenge—Entry Form

By Kathleen Quinn

Entry Form

The Flying Geese Quilters Guild

2025 Challenge

“What Goes Around, Comes Around”

Challenge

Flying Geese

Packet # _____

Member (Y/N) _____

Quilt Top Constructed By: _____

Quilted By: _____

Email: _____

Phone number: _____

Title of Entry: _____

Size of Entry: Width _____ Length _____

Category: (Circle only 1 that applies to your work)

Traditional Piecing Traditional Applique

Contemporary Innovative

Pictorial Original

If selected, are you willing to be in the **AQS 2026 Guild Challenge**?

(Y/N) _____ If Yes, then is this quilt original design? (Y/N) _____

If not original, do you have permission to use this design (Y/N) _____

Please tell us about your entry in 50 words or less.

UFO Challenge

By Kathleen Quinn

UFO CHALLENGE SIGN UPS 2025-2026

What is a UFO? You've purchased the pattern and the fabrics to get started but never got around to getting it started. It's that partially completed top that you started at a class but haven't finished. It's a finished top that still needs to be quilted. It could even be that quilt that just needs binding and a label, but it's been sitting around a while waiting for you to make them.

Looking for ways to finish your UFO quilt projects? Look no further, we have the solutions for you. Sign up for the UFO Challenge to run from May 2025 to April 2026 and a \$10 fee at our next Guild Meeting in May. See the attached handout and sign-up sheet. You can sign up from 1 to 5 quilts.

When you sign up, we have a beautiful ribbon for you to pin on to your name tag. You will be rewarded with one of the five pins for each project completed that you have signed up for. The five months for the quilts to be completed are July, September, November, February, and April. You are more than welcome to turn in early! You will earn points for the drawings. The more points you've earned is an opportunity for more chances. For those who have turned in all five quilts on time (or early) have an opportunity for a grand prize at the end.

Looking forward to seeing you all sign up at the General Meeting in May 2025 to participate in this UFO Challenge. If you are not able to attend the May meeting, please mail in your completed form and a \$10 payable to FGQG directly to Kathleen Quinn so we can hold your place and ribbon! You can sign up any time after the May start date.

I am currently seeking an assistant to help check in and measure the quilts at the monthly general meeting during opening and break time. This position is great to get to know the other quilters in the guild!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Committee Chair – Kathleen Quinn



UFO Challenge—Handout

By Kathleen Quinn

UFO CHALLENGE 2025-2026

What is a UFO? You've purchased the pattern and the fabrics to get started but never got around to getting it started. It's that partially completed top that you started at a class but haven't finished. It's a finished top that still needs to be quilted. It could even be that quilt that just needs binding and a label, but it's been sitting around a while waiting for you to make them. Must have started prior to December 2024 and a minimum of 200 square inches (Example 20in x 10in.) Whatever the case, let's dust off those older projects and complete some UFOs. You could even win a prize for doing so!

We want this to be fun and doable for everyone so here's how it's going to work. You choose from one to five UFOs you'd like to complete by April 2026. You tell me which month on which quilt will be done. A completed UFO is quilted and binded. We would really like to see labels and hanging sleeves as well, but for this challenge it's not necessary. You sign up below and pay a \$10 entry fee (no matter how many quilts you submit). You will get a ribbon to get started and will earn a special pin for each quilt turned in.

There will be a drawing each month a UFO is due among those who turn for that assigned month. There will be a special drawing for a "Grand Prize" for those who completed all five quilts on time! Additionally, tickets will be awarded for random drawings throughout our challenge period. Tickets are earned as follows:

- 1 Ticket for each UFO turned in (up to 5)
- 5 Tickets for turning in your UFO on time or earlier
- 3 Tickets for turning in your UFO late
- 1 Ticket if UFO has label
- 1 Ticket if UFO has a hanging sleeve
- 5 Tickets if UFO is older than 2008
- 4 Tickets if UFO is older than 2012
- 3 Tickets if UFO is older than 2016
- 2 Tickets if UFO is older than 2020
- 1 Tickets if UFO is older than 2024

Quilt Sizes:

- 1 Ticket – Smaller than a Baby Quilt – 2,475 sq in or under
- 2 Tickets – Baby/Crib/Lap – 45" x 55" = 2,475 sq in and higher
- 3 Tickets – Afghan/Throw – 55" x 65" = 3,575 sq in and higher
- 4 Tickets – Twin – 70" x 90" sq in = 6,300 and higher
- 5 Tickets – Double, Queen, and King – 80" x 90" = 7,200 sq in and higher

If you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact Kathleen (check the member directory for contact information).

UFO Challenge—Entry Form

By Kathleen Quinn

FLYING GEESE QUILTERS GUILD

UFO QUILT CHALLENGE 2025-2026 – ENTRY FORM

Full Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Entry Fee: \$10.00: Rcvd on _____ by _____

(Make check payable to Flying Geese Quilters Guild). **Please make a copy of this form for yourself.**

UFO Project	Description of UFO	Month Due	UFO Started When
UFO #1		July 2025	
UFO #2		September 2025	
UFO #3		November 2025	
UFO #4		February 2026	
UFO #5		April 2026	

Last Meeting's Highlights

Monthly Creation

By Diane Jardon

Congratulations to **Cheri Carey-Whitman** who was the winner of the March Monthly Creation. Cheri won this beautiful Parrot Purse – if you run into her while you are “out and about,” she’ll probably be carrying this! A special thank you to Eileen Thiessen who donated the purse.

Also, a reminder that we’re seeking out items for Monthly Creations during 2025 – specifically the months of June, July and September. If you have something in mind to donate, please contact me so that we can make sure we have items for the entire upcoming year.



I look forward to seeing you all in April!

Thank you,
Diane Jardon

Zoom

By Eileen Wintemute

The Guild continues to make good use of Zoom at the Guild meetings. Sixteen people watched the meeting via Zoom, and the speakers’ PowerPoint presentation was shared with the Zoom audience directly. The Zoom camera was placed in the center aisle, which hopefully made the viewing better.



Birthdays & New Members

Happy Birthday to our April Flying Geese!



Bonnie Bennett	Dorie Miller
Kathy Hall	Char Raffetto
Janet Haynes	Barbara Story
Fay Kerneen	Roseann Tennison
Katie LeFlore	Suzanne Watkins
Jean A. McMillan	Mary Whitelaw

Wishing you a fantastic birthday!



Please welcome our newest Flying Geese member

Janet Hartmann



Wishing you a Happy Easter
April 20th

March Meeting Attendance

Members	70
New Members	1
Zoom	16
Total	87

Last Meeting's Highlights

Friendship Group Social

By Ruth Honer



- Would you like to make new friends?
 - Learn new skills?
 - Be inspired?

A friendship group might appeal to you!

It doesn't matter whether you are a new member or have been in the guild awhile, this is your opportunity to join **Ruth Honer** to learn more about friendship groups . . .and bring a quilt or project of your own to share!

What: Friendship Group Social

When: Saturday March 29, 2025

Time: 10 am to Noon

Where: Ruth Honer's home (Check the directory for contact information.)

RSVP by Monday, March 24th!

~ Light refreshments included ~



Note:

We do have a cat and a dog; in case you have allergies.



Show and Tell

Diane Jordon – My “Star” Grandson

I made this quilt for my 1st grandson.



Dorothy Bullard—2024 Temperature Quilt

After seeing a member's temperature quilt in the FQ 2023 quilt show, I knew I needed to make one of my own. I found a weather station reporting daily temperatures just blocks from my house, and for an entire year I dutifully recorded the highs and lows. I experimented with what block to make for each day, deciding NOT to make triangles. I designed a simple 3.5" block to represent the daily high, with a random diagonal slash to represent the low. With 366 days in 2024, I was able to make a layout of 18x21 blocks, with dividing squares to indicate the start of each month.

Not all of my corners meet perfectly, and my quilting stitch length is not strictly uniform, but I love the results anyway.



Dorothy Bullard – Memories of Portugal

Panel quilt from my own photograph. Inspired by Cindy McChesney's presentation last month.

Show and Tell—Continued

Diane Searer – B2V T-shirt Quilt

This was a virtual Show and Tell because Diane had already given the quilt away. Diane says..."I took a t-shirt quilt class a few years ago from Nancy Chocek and learned some good tips. For years I had been trying to collect enough Baker-to-Vegas t-shirts to make a quilt for the LA County Sheriff Dept Lakewood Station. The B2V race is an annual memorial relay race from Baker, CA to Las Vegas, NV. Since the Lakewood Station running team participates in this race, I wanted to create a fundraiser quilt for them. This year, I was able to collect sequential t-shirts from 2015 to 2025, and I made a quilt. Tom Stevens did the excellent long-arm quilting, after scouring the internet for just the pattern I want – 6-pointed Sheriff stars connected with loop. I was able to deliver it in time to fundraise in advance of the race. You can see the quilt on Tom's business Instagram site, @143quilts."



Lori Maze – Exploding Heart

This is a wedding present for friends who are getting married in April. Their favorite colors are pink and purple. The blocks were easy but putting the rows together took 2½ hours!

Show and Tell—Continued



Sharon Ludwig – My Tribute to Ukraine

When Russia invaded Ukraine, I made this quilt as my way to support the people.

WIP—Works in Progress from Karen Bolan’s “Design Your Own Modern Quilt” Workshop



If you were on Zoom and would like a copy of the handout that Karen referenced during her lecture, please contact Mary Branca and she will email it to you.



Virtual Sew-Ins Via Zoom

By Mary Howland

Hello New Members of FGQG!

Please come join us at our zoom Sew Ins - we want to meet you and have you meet us. You don't have to stay for the entire time, just pop in and say "hello." Our guild meetings are jammed packed and don't offer much time for socializing, so this is a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other.

Flying Geese Quilt Guild continues to have "sew-in" Zoom meetings. Members sign on for whatever length of time their schedules allow. We sew, iron, and chat while we get to know each other.

We ask questions and often another quilter has an answer. We share about new tools/gadgets we just had to buy. Of course, we show our fabric purchases, too. It's really a fun-filled time. **Please join us. We'd love to see you!**

If you have questions, please call/email Mary Howland. She will host these meetings.

Mondays from 9 a.m. - 12 noon

March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

April 7, 14, 21, 28

May 5, 12, 19, 26

Fridays from 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

March 14, 28

April 11, 25

May 9, 23

Virtual SCCQG Rep

By Julie Sandquist

"Meet the Teachers" is coming April 5th!

Would you like an opportunity to hear from over 20 different quilt teachers and speakers? It's free and you can do it from the comfort of your own home via Zoom! Each teacher gives a short description of the class or workshops they offer.

The Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds hosts this event. An invitation via email will be sent out a few days before the event. Simply register (it's free!) and the Zoom link will be sent to you.

All of the information is available on the SCCQG Meet the Teachers page.

<https://www.sccqg.org/>



Philanthropy

By Mary Howland



April Showers to you all!

Yep, we've had some rain before April, and it was welcomed by most of us. Yesterday, I was standing at my apartment door and glanced out over the wall and noticed some beautiful pink buds on a tree. I had forgotten how March brings us pink blossoms. What a welcome sight!

I hope you enjoyed seeing a sampling of the quilts turned in at the last guild meeting as we had a brief quilt parade. We're going to show a few each month - we won't show everything turned in as that would take up too much time. But, please know that each item is special and so appreciated. Do drop by the philanthropy table if you want to see more up close or look at the photos in the newsletter or on Facebook.

Or, come to **Sew Day on Wednesday, April 16th, 10 - 2 at Orange Quilt Bee**. We'll have even more to show, and we have a lovely show of all the quilts. As we see them up close, we decide which quilts fit the needs of the various organizations. Then they're packed up and ready to be taken to the organizations.

It's time to pat yourselves on the back as we wouldn't have our quilt parade or be able to distribute all of these items without YOU! Your talents, generosity, and love make it happen and brighten the lives of so many people. Thank you!

Don't forget to join us on the fourth Monday of the month for an evening Sew Time. March 24th and April 28th are the next dates. You'll get a special Zoom link via email. A couple of members on our philanthropy team will be there from 6pm - 9pm to answer questions or sew with you.

That reminds me - if you'd like to be part of the philanthropy team, please contact Julie Layne.

Enjoy sewing until we see you at Sew Day, on Zoom for Sew Time, or at the next guild meeting.

Mary

Joanne Florence was the March winner of the Orange Quilt Bee \$10 gift card.



Philanthropy—Some of the Beautiful Items Donated This Month



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Quilty Happenings



Acacia Quilt Guild of Orange County

Presents



Ehler's Event Center – Legacy Hall – 8150 Knott Ave., Buena Park, CA 90620

Saturday, April 12, 2025



- Doors open at 10:30 a.m.
- Lunch is available at that time.
- Auction from 11:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.



Tickets \$30 per person

Includes: 1 bidding paddle, lunch, beverage, dessert and 1 blue opportunity ticket (good for GOLD BAG Vendor Drawings)

Please contact Isabel Cervantes at (562) 397-1690 for Vegetarian meal

Available for Purchase at Door:

Additional Paddles: \$5 ea, and Quarters for Bidding, and Opportunity Basket tickets

- Shopping from all Vendors
 - Opportunity Baskets
- Opportunity Quilt by Acacia Quilt Guild

Tickets available at:

www.acaciaquiltguild.org

Via Mail: PO Box 6853, Buena Park, CA 90622

Quilty Happenings



OCQG Opportunity Quilt Sleep Under the Stars

*\$5 per ticket
Limited to 100 tickets*

Winner Drawn
Saturday, May 3, 2025
at our Quilts in the Garden Show

For more information:
www.orangecountyquiltersguild.org

Antelope Valley Quilt Association's Quilt Show & Auction Festival of Quilts 2025

May 17-18, 2025

AV Fairgrounds

Van Dam Pavilion
2551 West Avenue H
Lancaster, CA 93536

Show Hours & Admission

Saturday, 10am-5pm
Sunday, 10am-4pm

Admission

\$12 per person for weekend
Children under 12 free

www.avqa.org



"Rhapsody in Blue"
Opportunity Quilt

Quilty Happenings



The poster features a background pattern of teal, orange, and grey diamonds and starbursts. The title 'Anaheim Craft & Vintage Fair' is centered in a white, sans-serif font. To the left, a red calendar icon shows the number '20'. Below the title, the date and time are listed in red, followed by the event name in bold black, and the address in a smaller black font.

Anaheim Craft & Vintage Fair

Saturday, September 20, 2025 at 9 AM – 4 PM

Anaheim Craft & Vintage Fair

P.O. Box 3316, Anaheim, CA92801, Anaheim, CA



The poster has a background of a colorful patchwork quilt. The title 'Threaded Together' is written in a large, brown, cursive font. Below it, the text 'a stitching experience' is in a smaller, brown, sans-serif font. The word 'featuring' is in a brown, cursive font. The name 'Amanda Murphy' is in a large, brown, sans-serif font. The dates 'September 29-October 1, 2025' are in a brown, cursive font. The text 'sign up now!' is in a brown, sans-serif font. The text 'space is limited' is in a brown, cursive font. The text 'early bird discount!' is in a brown, sans-serif font. The entire poster is framed by a thin orange border.

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Our Next Meeting

Monday, April 14, 2025

**Meeting: 6:30 PM
In Person. Zoom will be
Provided.**

Meeting Location:
Rancho San Joaquin Middle School
4861 Michelson Drive
Irvine

Please Note: School rules allow only bottled water in the Multi-purpose room. Food and other drinks are not allowed.

Covid 19 Precautions: The guild will be following the guidelines set up by the school district and in accordance with the local and state government. We will not be checking for your immunization record at this time. You are on the honor system.

Please be kind to those sensitive to perfumes, and refrain from wearing your fragrances to the Guild meeting.

Come to the meeting
Check in at the Membership Desk
Wear your Name Tag
Introduce yourself to someone new
Carpool with a buddy
Bring Show & Tell projects to share
Sign up for a Workshop
Volunteer

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