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President’s Message

Welcome to another exciting month! Where does the time go?

I was able to spend a week quilting with friends at our annual retreat. It was so fun and I was able to finish my butterfly project from Pat’s class, plus a couple other items from my to do list (aka UFO’s.)

Also spent a week with my sisters sewing in the Bay Area. Had a quick visit with my daughter and son and a few of the grandkids, and celebrated my husbands birthday. He wanted to go to the casino (me not so much as I’d rather spend my money on fabric) but it was his birthday so off we went. He lost \$100, but I won \$400! We split the winnings so now I can buy more fabric!

Woo hoo!

Hope to see you all at the June meeting and Anniversary luncheon!

Patty



TIP OR TRICK

Lightly starch your fabric when making half square triangles

Guild Officers 2022

President:	Patty Carr
Vice President:	Penni Parsons
Treasurer:	Mary Parker
Secretary:	Rhonda Simpson

NEXT SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, July 6, 2022, 12:45 p.m.

Home of Rhonda Simpson

VICE PRESIDENT PENNI PARSONS

Workshops not filled by members by a pre-determined date will be opened to associate members at the workshop fee plus \$10 and non-members at the workshop fee plus \$20.” (Standing Rules, page 1, #3 .c.)

Any voucher given for a cancelled workshop must be used by November so the books can be reconciled by end of year.



VICE-PRESIDENT’S REPORT

- June 14, 2022: 40th Guild Anniversary/Potluck BBQ
- July 12, 2022: Material Girlfriends/UFO workshop
- July 13, 2022: Material Girlfriends workshop New York Beauty Pillow
- August 9, 2022: No Lecture/Lunch Break/Mini workshop: How to achieve an accurate quarter inch seam allowance (Tentative)
- August 10, 2022: Material Girlfriends workshop Drunkard’s Path table runner
- September 13, 2022: Kathryn Pellman Lecture Art Quilts
- September 14, 2022: Kathryn Pellman Workshop Fashionista
- October 11, 2022: Analie Belden Lecture Beginning Piecing/Gadget Gal
- October 12, 2022: Analie, Belden Workshop Community Quilts
- November 8, 2022: No Lecture
- November 9, 2022: Community Workshop: Christmas Stockings
- December 13, 2022: Christmas Potluck Lunch

INTERVIEW WITH GUILD MEMBER SANDY WAGNER



SGQG: Where were you born?

SW: Glendale California and I moved to Pine Grove 52 years ago.

SGQG: Do you have any children?

SW: Yes I have three girls and I've insisted they all learn to sew.

SGQG: When did you start sewing?

SW: When I was a girl, I would sew clothes for my Storybook Dolls with the fabric my father would bring home from his work. He would make diplomas and bring home taffetas and tapestries. I would also sew my children's clothes as well as my own.

SGQG: Bring one of the founding members of the SGQG, what's the biggest change?

SW: The biggest change I've noticed is the lack of cohesiveness of the group. I'd love to see some of the quilters come up from traditional quilts to art quilting. I've repurposed some of my traditional quilts to wearable art and embellish them using couching, Shibori and pole dyed fabrics. I call these pieces "rebirth". When I turned 50, I decided I didn't need anymore bed size quilts and now make smaller art quilts now. We started with 25 members for our first year and by the second years, had 8 members. I think some members thought quilting wasn't for them. We've meet all over the county, including Sutter Creek, Sutter Hill but mostly here in Pine Grove. I was also president for 3 years and have held every office on the board over the years.

SGQG: What other hobbies do you have?

SW: I also knit, golf, travel and sing. I was part of a 8 part harmony quartet for 44 years. I also did walking scores for the PGA and the LPGA. But, I haven't' played golf for the last two years now, ever since I broke my wrist. I'm a certified scuba diver. I owned a quilt shop called A Quilted Experience from 1985 to 1987.

SGQG: Where's the best place you've traveled and the least favorite?

SW: Africa was the best. You can travel a little out of town and go back in time 200 years. My least would be China. I did not appreciate the lack of western bathrooms.

SGQG: Are you a member of any other associations?

SW: Yes, I'm a member of Studio Art Quilt Association which is International. I've taken Zoom classes with other members all over the world. Including Germany, Dubai, the Netherlands. We have over 8000 members world wide. I have a blog: www.sandralwagnersart.me.

SGQG: Coke or Pepsi

SW: Coke

FIND THE ITEM FOR JUNE

How many butterflies can you find? Place your name and answer on the paper provided, in the jar at the head table. A drawing will determine who will receive 3 raffle tickets.

News Notes Reminders

REMINDER:

Community Quilts Quilting:

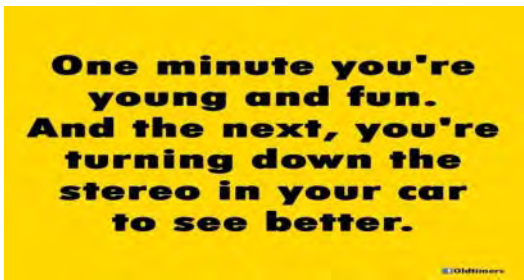
June 1st will be the last day I can accept quilts for Quilting. Going on vacation from the end of June - August. Please call or email for me for any questions, [REDACTED]

Thanks, Michelle Jones

COUNTRY STORE FOR QUILT SHOW

The Country Store received a large donation of fabric from Mary Nahhas' estate. I have a large bag of purse kit precut parts. Does anyone have any of Mary's bag patterns? I'd like to make kits to sell at our next Quilt Show. Please bring them to our next meeting.

Thanks, Penny



Planning a trip? Wonder what quilt shops may be on the way? Check out: quiltinghub.com. It will give you some quilt shops you may want to visit.



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Chemo Caps

Sandy Honnold

Because STARS is unable, due to Covid restrictions, to give chemo caps to the oncology sites, they still have one full tote of chemo caps at this time. My idea is to share the caps with agencies that deal with the homeless and veterans who may be able to use the caps on cold/cool nights. With that in mind I called 4 local agencies and the homeless advocate. So far I've given away caps to ATCCA, Hospice and Sierra Wind. We are now low on finished caps. If any member would like to make some caps, please take a kit or 2 or more or some yarn if you like to knit, then return them at the next guild meeting. I thank you for your help.

Sandy Honnold,
Chemo Cap Chair



Community Outreach

Janis and Kathy Beach

Food Bank

Barb Haymond

Make a note so you don't forget your donation of food or cash. It will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you - Barb

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS:

- Rice, Tuna, Pasta, Peanut Butter
- Beans (canned or dried)
- Veggies & Fruit (canned)
- Soups, Stews, Chili (canned)
- Cereal (whole grain, low sugar)
- Boxed meals like Hamburger Helper
- Juice (canned, plastic or boxed)
- AND - as always -
- PLASTIC and PAPER BAGS!

ADDITIONALLY!!!!

Food Bank: For those who can, Interfaith Food Bank needs donations. Food or money.

Address is: 12181 Airport Road
Jackson, CA 95642.

Barb

EGG CARTONS ARE NEEDED.

Animal Beds

Sandy Askin

I want to thank you all for continuing to make the dog beds.

If you would like to arrange for a pick up or meet, just give me a call, [REDACTED]

Thanks, Sandy

Sunshine

Debby Sweeten



Please let me know of any members that you know of that are in need of a card from the guild. You can email me or call me.

Thanks - Debby

Meeting Set-Up and Take-Down

When we next meet, here are the next 10 names on our set up list:

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| Ulla Doty | Joan Edson |
| Susan Farrington | Mary Foster |
| Barbara Garcia | Carla Garcia |
| Judy Garcia | Carol Garrett |
| Mary Ann Engelbrekton | Pam Garrett |

Setup starts at 9:00. If you know you cannot make it or if you have physical limitations, please let Eva Diltz or Rhonda Simpson know. Thanks!



This Includes Helping On Take Down

Membership

Sue Green

Welcome new members

Interested in becoming a guild member?

Full membership \$35-

Associate members \$20-

Make Checks payable to Sierra Gold Quilt Guild and submit to Sue Green or may be mailed to: SGQG. PO Box 1078, Pine Grove, Ca 95665.

Newsletter Input

Please send your news articles for the March 2022 newsletter to Rhonda Simpson by **July24, 2022** at



NEAR BY QUILT SHOPS

Elk Grove Sewing and Vacuum, Richard and Roxanne (owners) 8705 Elk Grove Boulevard, Elk Grove, CA 95624

elkgrovevacuum.com; Email: elkgrovevacuum@yahoo.com; 916-714-0904

Fabric Garden, 2654 Marconi Ave, Suite 155, Sacramento, CA 95821

fabricgardenquiltshop.com; 916-483-2955

High Sierra Quilters, 1263 Broadway, Placerville, CA. 95667

highsierraquilters.com; 530-622-9990

Quail's Nest Quilt Company, 13769 B Mono Way, Sonora, CA 95370

quailsnestquiltco.com; 209-536-4009

Cali Quilts, 11395 Folsom Blvd. Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95742

caliquiltco.com; 916-853-5600

Quilter's Hollow, 8855 Thornton Road, Suite B, Stockton, CA 95209

quiltershollow.com; 209-477-5253

Quilts by Kat, 14595 Surrey Junction Lane, Sutter Creek, CA (This is the home of Kathy Allen). Please call before to ensure someone is there. Kathy Allen: 209-296-7176 or Dawn Schaaf at 209-419-1105. QuiltsByKat.com

BywaterFabric on Etsy. Diane has a large selection of panels and quilting fabrics. Purchase fabrics and pick up in Jackson or have shipped to you.

Member Bulletin Board

For Sale: PFAFF CREATIVE SEWING MACHINE Model 7550 I purchased this machine NEW when we were closing our shop in Oakland. The thing I love the most about this is the built in walking foot. I only used it for a couple years. So it doesn't have a lot of miles on it. I have 2 large binders of CREATIVE IDEAS that I purchased to go with it. It has a lovely stitch and it's easy to use. It has many attachments and is a work horse. I also have the Instruction Manual. Asking \$850. Jan Morin [REDACTED]

***I was walking home
from the quilt store
when my receipt
blew out of my
hand***



UPCOMING 2022 QUILT SHOWS

JUNE 4-5: Carson Valley Quilt Show in Gardnerville, NV
JUNE 9-11: Reno Quilt Show



Janis Beach	Kathy Beach
Sandy Wagner	Sue Green
Barb Haymond	Melissa Ontiveros
Penni Parsons	Becky Scholl
Mary Ann Engelbrekton	

Committee Chairs for 2022

<u>Committee</u>	<u>Chairperson</u>
Animal Beds	Sandy Askin
Audit Committee	Sue Green and Pat Bjerke
Bylaws/Parliamentarian	Barbara Garcia
Chemo Caps	Sandy Honnold
Community Outreach	Janis Beach & Kathy Beach
County Fair	
County Fair White Glove	Penny Dominici
County Library Display (Sept.)	Sandy Askin
Food Bank	Barb Haymond
Greeter	Pamela Bennetts
Historian	
Hospitality	Elizabeth Schmidt
Library	Hilde Langlet
Membership	Sue Green
Newsletter	Rhonda Simpson
Opportunity Quilt 2022	
Raffle	Pam Gremore
Set-up and Take-Down	Eva Diltz
Sunshine	Debby Sweeten
Telephone	Louise Myers
Webmaster	Sam King/Corinne Brown

Amador County Fair July 28 -31, 2022

Entries open on May 1, 2022. They are available on line at: www.amadorcountyfair.com or can be picked up in person at the Fair office. Entry Forms due July 8, 2022 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Deadline to turn in quilt or other items is July 23, 2022.

Sign ups for our table at the Amador County Fair, July 28-31, will be out. We'll sell Opportunity Quilt tickets and have a quilt making demonstration at the Fair. I will be taking donations for the Country Store for the next year. No more sales of fabric from our last Quilt Show.

Thanks, Penny



Show and Tell

