



Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild

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President's Message

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Peggy Couvrette, President

President's Message

Thunder, lightning and a little bit of rain and wind. We are having a tiny bit of what the south eastern U.S. and the Bahamas are experiencing. My heart goes out to all those in Dorian's path.

Our quilt show is fast approaching. Such a fun day to show off the talent in our guild. Please get in your entry forms, any items for the boutique and don't forget snacks for our hospitality table.

Our September meeting is our annual placemat making workshop for Meals on Wheels. These are so well received. Christmas on one side and spring on the other. We have been told how much joy they bring to the recipients. For those attending quilt camp this year, what fun we are having. A 4 day 3 night getaway that is good for the soul!

See you at our September meeting.



Upcoming Dates to Remember

- 9/11- Guild Board meeting at Peggy Couvrette's house. All are welcome.
Starts 6:30 p.m.**
- 9/18- Guild General meeting at the Masonic Center. Doors open 6:15,
meeting starts at 6:30. Program this month is our annual philanthropy sew-in.
We are making placemats for Meals-on-Wheels this year. Please join us!**
- 10/9- Guild Board meeting at Peggy Couvrette's house. All are welcome.
Starts 6:30 p.m.**
- 10/16- Guild General meeting at the Masonic Center. Doors open 6:15,
meeting starts at 6:30. Program this month is quilt artist, Pam Hadfield
presenting a trunk show. Please join us!**
- 11/20- Guild General meeting at the Masonic Center. Doors open 6:15,
meeting starts at 6:30. Program this month are quilt artists, Linda and Carl
Sullivan—Colourez Trunk Show. Please join us!**
- 12/4 – Guild annual budget meeting/dinner. Peggy's house at 6:30.
Everyone is welcome.**
- 12/11 – Guild annual holiday party. Appetizers at 6:00, dinner at 6:30.**

Kaleidoscope Monthly General Meetings

When: 3rd Wednesday of each month. Doors open 6:15 p.m. meeting starts 6:30.

Where: Lemon Grove Masonic Center, 2590 Main St., Lemon Grove, CA.

Kaleidoscope Monthly Board Meetings

When: 2nd Wednesday of each month @ 6:30 p.m.

Where: Peggy Couvrette's home

Who to Call:

President: Peggy Couvrette 619-466-6103

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Programs/Workshops: Barbara Michalec or Toni Mohondro



Our September Birthdays

Suzannah Richardson 9/9
Judy Whitney 9/12
Ed Estrin 9/14
Joanne Sundahl 9/24
Rosa Blatchford 9/28



Hospitality

Snacks:

Arlene Beckhusen
Judy Whitney
Cindy Winters
Kathy Smith

Beverages:

Nancy O'Connell
Debbie Sherrell

Missed August Birthdays

Marilyn Carnes and Sherrie Cunningham both had birthdays last month that I missed!! I am so sorry for the oversight! Happy belated birthday to you both.

I hope you each had nice birthdays!

Quilt Show News

Our quilt show is fast approaching! A month away. Please get in your quilt entry forms at this meeting. We need your quilts! Karen Brixner has graciously offered to put them into an excel spreadsheet for us.

Also we ask the members make snacks for our hospitality table. Nothing gooey that could get on the quilts. As our motto is our quilt show is free and we feed you, we do need items to feed our guests.

Thank you all who have donated to the boutique. We have wonderful quilts and handmade items for sell.

This is one of our guild's most favorite events. It comes our way every other year which makes it extra special!



Kaleidoscope Quilt Show

Saturday October 19, 2019

10am—4pm

Lemon Grove Masonic Lodge 2590 Main St, Lemon Grove

It's Free!

- **Over 120 Quilts** on Display
- **Boutique** (quilts and other hand made items ... Just in time for Christmas ... very reasonably priced!)
- Last Chance for Guild **Opportunity Quilt Tickets**. Winner drawn at end of show!
- **It's a Scrappy Year Challenge**
- **Fabric Post Card and Toile** painting display

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Free Refreshments!

Boutique News: We have been busy making wonderful items for our boutique including **quilts, table runners, wine bottle holders, tortilla warmers, snap bags, mug rugs, microwave bowl holders** and **much more!** We have many quilts for sale.

Hope to See You There! It is a wonderful celebration. You Don't Want to Miss It!

September---PHILANTHROPY SEW-IN---

Bring your sewing machine

Don't be left out!!—Save the Date

Read supply list below- See you there!



SEPTEMBER Philanthropy

Our quilt retreat was wonderful - thank you Judy Shepard and Pat Gailband for making it so fun and memorable. I love my Eye Pad. And guess what? We get to sew together once again this month at our Annual Philanthropy Sew-in !!!!..... Due to popular demand, we will once again be sewing placemats for Meals on Wheels. They loved our placemats last year, and were so pleased, when I called them, that we were making placemats for them this year to give to their shut-ins during the holidays. There will be a placemat kit waiting for you to sew at our meeting on Wednesday September 18th. Come to the meeting with your sewing machine and basic sewing supplies:

sewing machine (with needle & footpedal ☺)

pins

scissors

thread (white, and for binding, red or green)

olfa rotary cutter

Ironing boards and cutting mats will be provided. If you are a procrastinator, start loading your car now, so on September 18th you will be ready to sew!!!

Please give a big hand to Arlene Beckhusen, Barbara Michalec, Julie Reyes and Susan Valdez for donating quilts to philanthropy in August.

And....for you number crunchers: 58 pounds of fabric scrap was delivered to the Salvation Army for their Adult Rehabilitation programs. At this point in the year we have donated a total of 410.5 pounds of textile scrap. Hooray!!!

Keep those sewing machines whirling! See you next month!

Marilyn Carnes (Roseway@cox.net), Marilyn Helkenn, Mary Weflen

Program Preview

The end of the year is approaching way too fast. Can you believe we have four short months until 2020 arrives? Between now and then, however, Kaleidoscope has lots of quilting fun in store for us. Here's a preview ...

September 18, 2019 **Philanthropy Sew-In** ... Bring your sewing machine and sewing supplies to make festive holiday placements. Kits provided.

October 16, 2019 **Pam Hadfield** ... You may have been lucky enough to take one of Pam's two Dresden Plate inspired workshops at the recent San Diego Quilt Show. Both provided a new take on an old favorite. One of her recent patterns called, "Red, White and Bloom," provides a fun take on a patriotic theme.

November 20, 2019 **Linda and Carl Sullivan** ... This dynamic duo is the brains behind Colourwerx patterns. They have a passion for pure color that can only be described as FUN, FUN, FUN!

December 11, 2019 **Holiday Party.**



Hope you will join us.

Your Program Co-Chairs,
Toni and Barbara

Quilt Show Boutique

Hi everyone!

Well as I rush around getting myself ready for quilt retreat, I am trying to remind myself that the next four days will be relaxed, fun, new friends and old ones, fabulous food and lots of talking and laughing. I am feeling so blessed! I am also looking at my sewing room, kitchen table and patio table at the items for the Boutique. I certainly need the next four days to recharge and come home to get items ready for our Kaleidoscope Quilt Show. This is only my second one and I am so looking forward to it!

So for the Quilt Show and Boutique:

- * Please get your quilt entry forms in by our September meeting
- * Any quilts that are to be sold get in as well so they can be priced
- * Any boutique items you are donating, please get to us as soon as possible to be priced

I know Peggy will give all of this information as well in this newsletter, so I just want to thank you ahead of time for the boutique items that you have so generously donated. Looking ahead to 2021 for the next show, jot down any ideas or try to make any items that you think just might sell. Keep your eyes open too at all the craft fairs that you attend, as well as items you might find on Pinterest. I have a place on my Pinterest Boards just for boutique ideas. As I tell my sewing and crafty friends - "We can make that!"

In October I will have information about -

HERSTORY
CELEBRATING WOMEN - 1920 to 2020
A woman's place in my quilt

See you at the September meeting!
Patty Lawrence

Quilt Retreat Thank You

Everyone at the retreat this year would like to send
out a GIANT

"THANK YOU!!"

to Pat Gailband, Judy Shepard and their behind-the-scenes helper Peggy Couvrette!! We are all sooo appreciative of your efforts. This year's was another fabulous retreat!!



OPPORTUNITY QUILT - Julie Reyes

Celebrating Joyce

Thank you to all those that helped out at Rosies selling our opportunity tickets during the San Diego Quilt Show. We made \$205 and passed out flyers on our quilt show as well as our guild.

Just reminder that your tickets have to be in before the drawing at our quilt show in October. Any new members who haven't picked up their opportunity tickets, please see me at our next meeting.

Thank you for those who brought batiks to our last meeting. Peggy and I prepped making 1370 flying geese. We will be working on them at our retreat hoping to get some members to make a few too.

**Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild Regular Meeting Minutes
August 21, 2019**

The meeting was called to order by President Peggy Couvrette at 6:35 PM.

Welcome –

1. Peggy welcomed members.
2. Peggy stated that the guild needs to purchase a new projector to use for programs.
MOTION: That the Kaleidoscope Quilt Guild approve the purchase of a new projector.
Anna Lancia moved, Arlene Beckheusen seconded. Motion carried.

Treasury –

1. Becky reported: Beginning balance = \$15,900; Income = \$278.50; Expenses = \$111; Ending Balance as of July 31, 2019 = \$18,507.20
2. Becky explained that our account includes a lot of retreat money right now.

Programs—

1. Peggy stated that we are so excited to have Barbara Michalec and Toni Mohondro as program co-chairs. They were welcomed.
2. 2019 Programs are:
August – Movie Night - Quilt Matters Video
September – Philanthropy Sew-In
October – Pam Hadfield, Trunk Show
November – Linda & Carl Sullivan, Colourwerks
December – Holiday Party, December 11th

Retreat 2019—

1. Judy announced our retreat is coming up Thursday Sept 5- Sunday Sept 8th (4 days and 3 nights); 4:30 PM Thursday to 2 PM Sunday.
2. The theme this year is “Beyond the Sea”; members are encouraged to start planning their costume.
3. We are to arrive after 4:30 PM – dinner will be served at 5:30; she asked that people not arrive before 4:30PM. She sent a list of ideas of places to shop and eat in Temucula.

Opportunity Quilt—

1. Julie Reyes thanked those who signed up to work at Rosies with the quilt on August 30 & 31st.
2. Our 2020 Opportunity Quilt will be a king-sized batik scrappy Wild Goose Chase.

Philanthropy---

1. Marilyn reported that the guild has now donated a total of 352.5 pounds of fabric scrap to the Salvation Army.
2. We will have the Philanthropy Sew-in at the September meeting; everyone was encouraged to bring their sewing machine to this meeting and help sew placemats for Meals on Wheels.

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Quilt Show Boutique –October 19th

1. Please turn in items to sell at the boutique at the September meeting.
2. Peggy said that there were microwave bowl holder kits for members to sew.

Kaleidoscope Quilt Show Saturday October 19th –

1. Peggy stated that entry forms are available at the meeting, (they were also emailed to members); she encouraged everyone to enter a quilt. We want to hang over 100 quilts.
2. The set-up for the show will be Friday evening, before the show; Peggy advised that those helping set-up should not wear sandals.
3. There will be a sign-up sheet to fill various jobs for the show.
4. Flyers advertising the quilt show are available for members to take and post around the community.

Hospitality –

1. Debbie Sandoval said that we need a few more volunteers for October and November.

Announcement-

1. Judy Thacker announced that she put her store online; she passed around cards.
2. She has a promotional: if you order \$25 or more, you get a discount.

The meeting ended at 7:35 PM, after Show and Tell.

Marilyn Carnes, Secretary Pro Tem