



# Newsletter

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## GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, October 13, 2010 6:30 PM

LET'S "GIVE AWAY" WHILE WE  
"STRIP & PLAY"



As quilters we have always been a giving community. We have made quilts for the Loving Hands, pillowcases for the 1 Million Pillowcase Challenge, quilts for auctions as well as gifts for others. This month is our chance to give back to our community in another way. We will be collecting small toiletry items for the Burbank Temporary Aids Center and the YWCA Domestic Violence Center in Burbank. Please bring hotel size shampoos, lotions and soaps for us to distribute to both of them. I have been collecting for quite some time as I have been traveling, hopeful you have too. Also, now you have an excuse to take that quick trip you have been wanting to take. Just tell your traveling companion you need it so you can save the items for the centers.

Has Eleanor Burns made a stripper out of you? If so, join us for a new way to add to your strips. Once our business meeting is completed, then we will have some fun for ourselves. Back by popular demand we will be playing Strip Poker using strips of fabric for our chips. If you want to partake, just bring 36 - 40 fabric strips cut 2 1/2" wide and the width of the fabric. We will provide the cards, you provide the desire to win. If you do not have the time to cut up all the strips, just bring a jelly roll. We have had a great time in the past doing this and with all the books now available that use these strips, this will give you a great chance to win a new quilt project.

We also want to enjoy the Halloween holiday this month. We encourage anyone who wants to come in a costume. Anyone in a costume will be given an extra door prize ticket. You can still come in the Quilt Show t-shirt for our 2011 Show to earn an extra ticket.

CORINNE GURNEY



Fat Quarter Draw at the General Meeting!

The theme -- "Halloween Print" fabrics. (Maximum of 5 & only 100% cotton, please.)

## The President's Block



### From the Podium

This month we are going to have a parade for members wishing to wear Halloween costumes or Halloween hats just for fun. So dig into the closet and see what you can find. I am sure we will find a prize or two for participants.

Thank you to Corinne Gurney for finding Sharon Wilhite for our last meeting. She gave us a terrific presentation and a fabulous trunk show. Thank you to Alice Turner and friends in Hospitality, who continue to do such a great job. Thank you to our Affiliates who were so generous with gift certificates, yardage, and Gingher shears for door prizes! Wow! This month Barbara Stuart, our Membership Chair, will have our Affiliates Cards ready so let's get out there and support our Affiliates who continue to be so very generous to us.

Sheriff Heidi and Deputy Sharon are in full Quilt Show mode. We need to be ready to give them all the help we can. Remember, a successful Quilt Show means all of us chipping in to help carry the load; so be ready to volunteer! Frances Brannon is going to be compiling a book of recipes to be sold at the Quilt Show; so send her the favorite recipe that friends and neighbors are always requesting.

Congratulations to our own Alice Turner, whose quilt won "Best in Show" at the Los Angeles County Fair for the second year in a row!

**Happy Halloween!** OK, I admit it. I love Halloween. Not the creepy scary Halloween but the fun family friendly Halloween. I like to decorate my home with happy witches, smiley jack-o-lanterns and cheerful skeletons with big bow ties. I've always thought one of the perfect ways to decorate for Halloween is with a couple of bright fanciful homemade quilts. Hang a couple of quilts and a whole room turns festive. I was just putting the final stitches into a quilted Halloween wall hanging when my husband came into the sewing room.

"What are you working on?" That is his subtle way of saying, shouldn't you be fixing dinner.

"It's a witch's hat."

"Shouldn't it be black?"

"It's an artist's interpretation of a witch's hat in seasonal colors."

"Oh. Where are you going to hang it?"

"I'm going to send it to my uncle to hang in his room at the retirement home."

"Babe, We're talking about your Uncle Brick."

"Yes."

"The man who worked construction for forty years who then taught welding to ex-convicts. The man with a tattoo on his

chest that would make a Marine blush. The man who won't go to Starbucks" because their wimpy black coffee isn't strong enough to hold a spoon upright in the cup."

"That's the guy."

"Do you honestly think he wants to hang some cutesy witch's hat wall hanging in his room?" "Do you really want to have that picture on your office wall from your three year old nephew?"

"That's different. It shows a creative use of color." "Yes, I've always thought that mixture of black, puce, and magenta to be very creative." "I am just saying I don't think he will hang it, Barbie. Isn't it time for dinner?"

I had just put 10 pounds of butter on my shopping list, when the phone rang. "Hey, Barbie Girl, How's it going?"

"Great, Uncle Brick. Did you get my package?"

"Yep. I hung the hat thing out side my door. "The Ladies" really like it. I tell them you made it "special" for me. Are you coming by on Halloween? I'm making fudge, not that sissy marshmallow and chocolate chip stuff. I'm making REAL fudge with lots of nuts."

"I can taste it already, Uncle Brick."

"Honey, Could you make me one of those hanging things for spring? How about a big rabbit but I don't want pink? Pink's for girls...wait, "The Ladies" might like pink. Ok, maybe a little pink."

"Uncle Brick, are you using my quilt to attract "The Ladies!" "Hey Kido, I don't need your help. I make GREAT FUDGE but your quilt does make them stop long enough to try my candy... I don't move as fast as I use to."

"Sounds like you're still a fast worker to me. Okay, one Spring wall hanging coming up but I expect EXTRA fudge. "Deal."

Steve strolled into the kitchen as I threw two pork chops into a skillet. "My Uncle Brick called today. He hung the witch's hat. It seems my quilt is like "catnip" to "The Ladies." "Oh great. When he gets kicked out of the retirement home we'll know one of "The Ladies" has finally seen "The Tattoo."

"I don't know about that, but he does make REALLY GOOD fudge."

Stitch, Quilt, Love,  
Barb



**Next General Meeting**  
**Wednesday,**  
**November 13, 2010**  
**Mark your calendars for**  
**Cathedral Windows with**  
**Shelley Swanland**  
**See you there!**

## Future Programs & Workshops

**OCTOBER 9, 2010 – WORKSHOP 10 A.M. TO 4:00P.M**  
**SWEATSHIRT MAKEOVER FOR THE HOLIDAYS BY**  
**ALICE SMITH AT PATCHWORK PENGUIN**

**OCTOBER 13, 2010, WED. - GUILD CHARITY EVENT**  
**“GIVING BACK” AND “STRIP POKER”**

**NOVEMBER 13, 2010 – WORKSHOP**  
**CATHEDRAL WINDOWS SAMPLER –**  
**BY SHELLEY SWANLAND**

**To sign up for a workshop, please contact**

**Joni Kellam 818-957-7430**

**[joni.kellam@sbcglobal.net](mailto:joni.kellam@sbcglobal.net)**

**December 8, 2010 – Guild Christmas Party**  
**Entertainment – The Chanteurs Singers**

### Library Notes

**Wearables** - Do not be fooled by the title *Wearable Quilts* by Roselyn Gardia-Smitley. Her jackets and vests are gorgeous and her patterns are easy to size. See the color plates. The Birds of Paradise jacket and meandering vines vest are 2 of my favorites. Ask for #069.

**Oldie but Goodie** - I have books on bindings and am satisfied with the technique that I like. But I picked up *Happy Endings* Finishing the Edges of Your Quilt by Mimi Dietrich and read

the table of contents. And much to my surprise there was a technique I had been looking for last year about finishing my quilt without binding. For a refresher, check out # 269.

**Like Mystery Books?** “Her face became as pale as unbleached muslin,” Earlene Fowler wrote in her book *Goose in the Pond*. Wow! Was I ever pleasantly surprised when I picked up this book to become acquainted with our January speakers body of work. And we have 3 other books of hers. Ask for #258, #261, #257, or #221.

**HELP!** Our Library needs 6 sturdy stackable bins to store our books. If you have any bins you are not using OR want to donate some, please consider donating them to the library. Thank you.

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## Meetings

### BOARD MEETING

Thursday, October 7, 2010  
6:30 PM  
At Barbara Gibson's Home  
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### NEXT BOARD MEETING

Thursday, November 4, 2010  
6:30 PM  
LOCATION - TBA

### GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, October 13, 2010  
Social hour 6:00 PM  
Meeting 6:30 PM  
Glendale Library  
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### LOVING HANDS

Friday, October 8, 2010  
10 AM Until Done  
1038 E. Elmwood, Burbank  
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### QUILT SHOW MEETING

October 5, 2010, 6:30 pm  
at Quilt 'n' Things, 2411 Honolulu Ave.,  
Montrose



## Hospitality

**If your name begins with A - E: It's  
your turn to bring refreshments.**



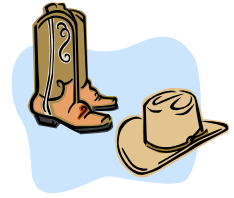
**Remember, fruit and veggies are always appreciated.**

# 2011 Quilt Show



~ 2011 Show Theme ~

## Quilts of the Wild West!



"I'm back in the saddle again", thanks to my buddy, deputy Sharon Bishop, taking care of the range in my absence. She had everything running smoothly and on time, there were no problems in "Dodge City". Our opportunity quilt has hit the trail and been to Mammoth Lakes, around L.A. and Canyon Country, for completion, a surprise to all very soon! Wranglers Sharon and daughter Kelly corralled a great team for another show masterpiece! Thanks to buckaroos Judy and Harriet for riding the line and roping in some super teachers early for 2011. We had a quick roundup and a little grub (pizza) for ideas and volunteers before the general meeting. Thanks to all who attended and any ranch hands are welcomed to saddle up for a fun time! Please give me or Sharon a holler! Our huge denim bags have arrived and we have them available along with our cowboy duds. Thanks to Mary Kaye for your help with the bags. Yippee to Sharon and her longtime visiting friend Ann, as they sold out on many sizes. Please let us know if special orders are needed. Oh! Wear any of these show "cowboy duds" and get an extra door prize ticket from Loretta!

Congrats to the top three cowgirls for their fun decorated cowboy hats! Prizes were awarded. Now, how about creating an interesting "brand" using "GQG" for marking on show ads? Example, DD (Double D), no not a bra size. Of course, there will be rewards in prizes! Contest to be judged at Nov. meeting. Enter brand logo on notebook size paper, name on back.

Next meeting OCT 5<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm at Quilt 'n' Things, 2411 Honolulu Ave, Montrose. A big thanks to our affiliates hosting these meetings, show your gratitude \$\$\$. We will be galloping to each affiliate of the guild over the next few months.

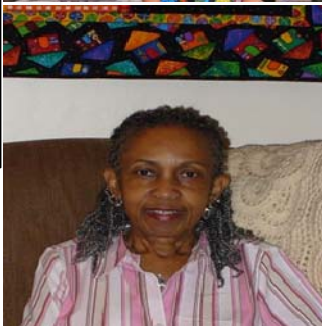
Also, to further whet your appetites, we'll be highlighting our Show Teachers each month!!

"So happy trails to you... until we meet again..."

Love from the bunkhouse,  
Hopalong Heidi



**Sue Rasmussen Teaching at Glendale Quilt Show** \*\* Sue Rasmussen, a diversified quilt artist, has been teaching for over 22 years. Sue has a degree in Textile Sciences from the U. C. Davis, and approaches quilting with a clear understanding of 'how and why'. She and her quilts have appeared in HGTV's *Simply Quilts*, *The Carol Duvall Show*, numerous publications, exhibited and competed in both national and international quilt shows. Her quilt, 'Grizzly Bear', has won several ribbons, including Viewer's Choice from PIQF and the Judge's Awards from the Tokyo International Great Quilt Festival. Known for her fun attitude that she brings to her teaching, Sue shares her extensive knowledge and creativity in her machine piecing and machine quilting classes, coaxing the artist within to explore freestyle, no-marking machine quilting, graceful *curved* paper pieced flying geese, and beautifully pieced landscapes/pictorial quilts. Sue has produced an extensive body of work, including hundreds of quilts, quilt art, and quilted clothing. She will be teaching Landscapes on Saturday, March 20, 2011 at out show. Sign up early!



**Sylvia Q. Davis Appearing at the 2011 Show** \*\* Sylvia spoke at our meeting in March. At the conclusion of her presentation there was a chant from the audience, "Next year's show!, Next year's show!." Well, your wish is my command. She will be there! Her quilts have been seen at PIQF, Road to California, the African-American History Museum, and the Riverside Museum. She is a member of the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds, Northern California Quilt Council, and Quilts on the Wall Art Quilt Guild. She is a credentialed teacher and teaches workshops at local quilt shops, in an Adult Education program, and in her home. Sylvia says, "My quilts would be considered "traditional" in style; however, my use of fabrics and design are richly colorful and exotic". Further, "The thought of experimenting with disparate fabrics, paints, threads, soldering guns, and maybe even power tools is oh so exciting!" Sylvia's 2010 goals are to become even more creative and to encourage her fellow quilters to "stretch" into new and exciting projects.

## BOARD & STANDING COMMITTEES

### Executive Board Members 2010-2011

President	Barbara Gibson	818-768-3052
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Quilt Show Chair 2012	(OPEN)	
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### Standing & Special Committee Chairs

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Printer Liaison (Nestle)	Nan Maples	818-849-6490
Printer Liaison (Other)	Rasa Read	323-257-7404

## NOTICE: Bylaws (Yea Ha!) Revisions

**Voting** by the Membership takes place at the October 13 Meeting.

**Proposed** Amended Bylaws are available on the GQG website at MENU: Resources, Bylaws

**Please** address any questions or concerns in advance to, or request an electronic copy to be delivered to you via email:

Nan Maples, Parliamentarian  
(626) 449-3132  
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## Notes from the Judging Room

by Nan Maples

**Machine Quilting:** *"Machine quilting techniques need improvement."*

**Thread Tension:** Top thread should not show on the back, and bottom thread should not show on the top.

**Starts and Stops:** Should not be obvious. This refers to thread jams (gopher guts) or large variation in stitch length at the beginning or end of a quilting pass.

**Density of Quilting:** Should be approximately equal throughout the quilt.

**Stitch Length:** Should be consistent throughout.

**Quilt would benefit from additional quilting:** Judges of quilts in competition would like to see a meaningful amount of quilting. This enhances the quilt's artistic performance and helps hold the quilt together over time. It's fairly obvious when we just poop out and give up with a minimal amount of quilting.

## Organizations need many contributions from everyone to thrive. What works for you?

- 1. Graciousness** Do your job. Don't do someone else's job.
- 2. Graciousness** Make a point to personally welcome every new member at a Guild meeting and welcome them
- 3. Participation** Attend Organize and/or join a Friendship Group
- 4. Participation** Participate in Block of the Month
- 5. Contribution** Volunteer for a Show-related task (some are big; some are small)
- 6. Contribution** Complain only to someone who can do something about it.
- 7. Contribution** Offer your home to host a Board or Quilt Show meeting.
- 8. Contribution** Do what you say you will do and do it on time.
- 9. Money** Take a Workshop at the Show
- 10. Money** Participate in the Affiliate Card program

## ~ Membership ~

### Welcome New Members



There were **no new members** during the month of September.

**Who do you know who would like to be a part of our Guild?**

**Did you know . . .** You can stop your foot pedal from moving away as your sewing by using a computer mouse pad with the wrist rest under the pedal? The wrist rest will keep the pedal in place for you! Try it out the next time you sit down to sew.

(A tip from Fons & Porter's Love of Quilting magazine.)

## Happy Birthday!



Jan	Adams	Oct	2
Sharon	Bishop	Oct	24
Violet	Bos	Oct	7
Genevieve	Creech	Oct	19
Susan	Edwards	Oct	8
Celia	Garcia	Oct	21
Patricia	Golditch	Oct	18
Melinda	Helscher	Oct	9
Joan	Hutter	Oct	2
Joan	Johnson	Oct	29
Jann	Lawson	Oct	30
Annetta	Maples	Oct	14
Gerda	Moller	Oct	4
Nancy	Mraz	Oct	9
Darcy	Muse	Oct	15
Olivia	Rodriguez	Oct	16
Lettie	Williams	Oct	23
Molly	Zachariash	Oct	24



## Loving Hands

**Loving Hands will meet on Friday, October 8th from 10 AM until done. 1038 E. Elmwood, Burbank.** Everyone is welcome! We sew all day & serve lunch to all who come. Donations of 100% cotton & batting 40 x 44 or larger are welcome. We are also looking for people to quilt or tie some of our finished tops & will bring the tops, batting & backs to the next meeting for you. Lunch is provided. Mini groups, let us know in advance so we can bring enough. See you there! Pat Grim

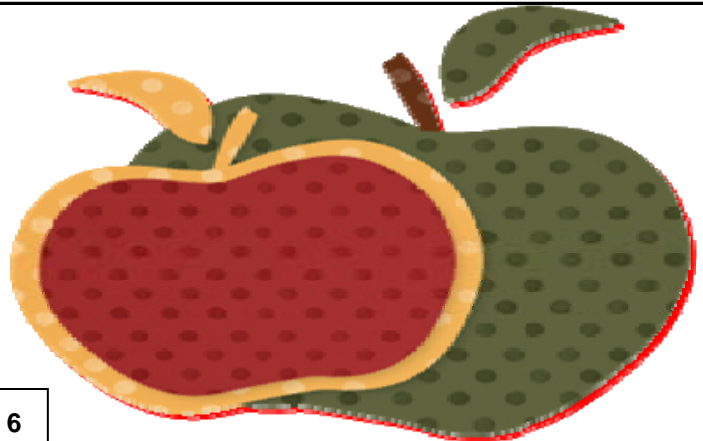
### Sunshine & Shadows

Congratulations to Alice Turner who won Best of Show at the Los Angeles County Fair.

Susan Edwards is recuperating from foot surgery.

For those of you who remember, Bengta Johnson fell and broke her hip.

Thanks,  
Sharon



# Block of the Month

October 2010

## Back to The Wild West- let's celebrate our March 2011 Quilt show theme!!

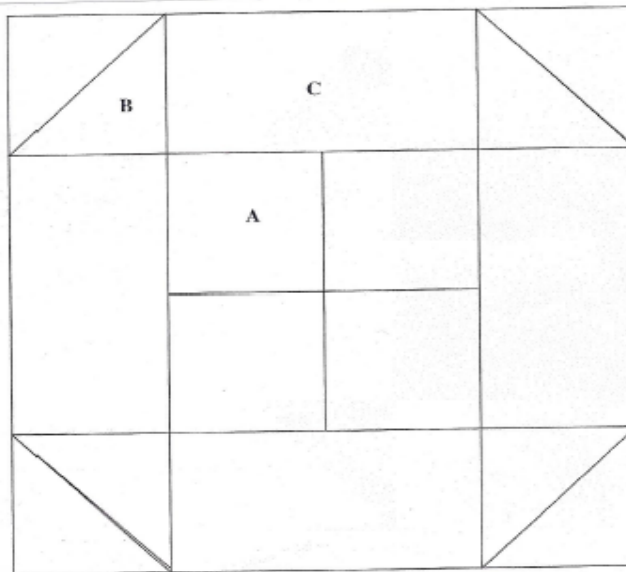
The cut fabric squares for Block - A- are provided(attached to these directions).If you want to make more than one block just use the same colors as fabric provided

**Cutting Directions:** Piece A- Cut 4 at 3-1/2"  
Piece B- Cut 4 at 3-7/8" and then cut into triangles  
Piece C-Cut 4 at 3-1/2" x 6-1/2"

**Finished block size 12" x 12" (your piece will be 12-1/2" x 12-1/2")**

### Sewing Directions:

1. Sew 4 A squares together (see picture)
2. Sew 2 C strips to opposite sides of A square block you just made
3. Iron seams outward
4. Sew 2 B triangles together-create 4 squares
5. Sew completed B square to ends of 2 C strips \*\*look at sample to be sure you place squares in the correct direction.
6. Iron seams inward
7. Sew completed strips to center block you already made.....



Have fun can call me if you have any questions....Pat Rollie  
323-224-8207

# MEETING REPORTS

## Glendale Quilt Guild Executive Board Meeting Mary Ann Kroening's Residence - September 2, 2010

Present: Barbara Gibson, Mary Ann Kroening, Heidi St. Royal, Sharon Bishop, Margie Emmons, Brandi Nalley, Carolyn Hodapp, Joni Kellam, Corinne Gurney, Alice Turner, Karen Millman, Barbara Stuart, and Frances Brannon.

Barbara Gibson opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m, thanking Mary Ann for hosting our meeting. The Minutes of the last Board Meeting and August Guild Meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

Treasurer Margie Emmons handed out copies of the August treasurer's report and reviewed it with the Board. There were no questions on the budget. Tax returns were filed timely. Due to a miscommunication between the accountant and the former treasurer, the fiscal year-end 2009 tax returns were filed late. As a result, the IRS is charging a substantial penalty to the Guild. A letter of appeal, prepared by the accounting firms, has been submitted to the IRS for consideration

Barbara Gibson congratulated Newsletter Chair, Karen Waller, in her absence, for another newsletter well done. It was explained that this newsletter was not posted on the internet until September 2 due to the fact that the website was down for a short time, it but did get mailed out on time. Options were discussed regarding expediting the information to the website.

Programs Chair Corinne Gurney announced the following future programs: Sept. - Sharon Wilhite, Dragon Lady Quilts, Trunk show (no workshop); Oct - Annual Strip Poker Party and "Give Back to the Community; Nov. - Shelley Swanland, Cathedral Windows, with a workshop on Saturday; Dec. the Guild's Christmas party with the singers, the Chanteurs; Jan - Nick Coman - with a workshop; and Feb. - Earlene Fowler. Members were encouraged to join Sharon Wilhite and other members at the Outback Restaurant for dinner at 5pm before the meeting. "Give Back to the Community" (bring soaps, creams, personal items) items to be given to a charity to be announced at the next meeting. October will be a 'costume optional' meeting.

Membership Chair Barbara Stuart has researched the past information on the membership dues deadline and found that it has been August 31 for the past few years, therefore she was still getting dues at the end of August, making it impossible to get the membership list compiled in time for the directory to be published for the October membership meeting. The directory will be available at the November meeting.

Show Chair Heidi St. Royal announced there will be a

meeting at 5 p.m. prior to the September Guild Meeting on September 8, for those who are interested in sharing ideas regarding the 2011 Quilt Show, then the first regular meeting for the Quilt Show Committee will be on October 5. The Quilt Show bags will be available at the September Guild meeting for \$20 each. Heidi told us the bags are much larger than we have ever had before.

We have received an inquiry for a DVD to be made of the Show quilts, with paid advertising (advertising solicited by the members), to be given away to all attendees at the Show. After a thorough discussion, it was decided that our show at the present time, is not large enough to support such an endeavor. Motion was made and seconded regarding the offer of adding paid advertising to the Show DVD, and was unanimously voted down. The Guild will continue at the present to offer the Show DVD for sale at the Show.

Barbara Gibson congratulated Alice Turner & company for the great décor at the last general meeting and the aprons were again a great hit. 'School Quilts' will be the décor for September, and 'Halloween' for October.

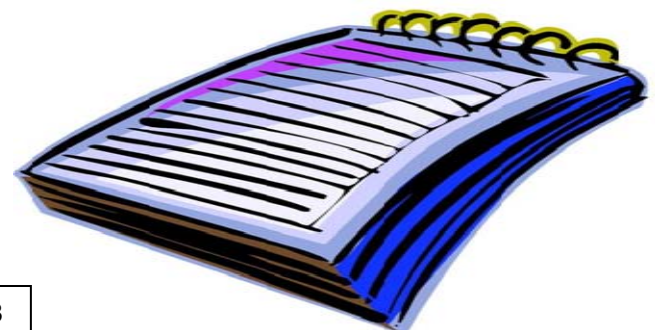
Fat quarter draw for September will be Plaids patterns, October Halloween, November Fall Colors, and December Christmas/Holiday patterns.

Copies of the proposed Bylaws revision were gone over one by one, with suggestions/corrections made on certain items. These will go back to Nan Maples to update and bring back for the final presentation.

It was reported that Susan Edwards was absent, due to surgery, but she conveyed that the library list is being brought up to date for a final submission to the website.

The next board meeting will be October 7 at 6:30 p.m. at Barbara Gibson's home. The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Frances Brannon



# MEETING REPORTS CONT'D.

## Glendale Quilt Guild General Meeting Glendale Central Library September 15, 2010

Barbara Gibson called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Barbara gave a big welcome to our guest speaker for the meeting, Sharon Wilhite, whose 'Dragon Lady Quilts' patterns are well-known among avid quilters. She welcomed back Heidi St. Royal, 2011 Quilt Show Chair, from her absence while recovering from surgery. Barbara reminded us that the executive board meetings are open to the membership, and if you wish to attend, the only thing you need to do is give a call to the hostess, so adequate seating can be planned for the meeting. She also reminded us that there is always a dinner at the Outback Restaurant for the night's guest speaker, starting at 5 p.m. prior to the meeting, and the members are encouraged to join in, Dutch treat, and get a chance to get to know the speaker. Just give a call to Corinne Gurney prior to the meeting date so she can arrange for reservations at the restaurant.

She then called for approval of the minutes of the last meeting as reported in the newsletter, with one correction; we adjourned the meeting at 8:50 p.m. With this correction motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes and it was approved by unanimous vote.

The treasurer's report was presented by Margie Emmons, showing an increased balance in the bank account thus far. Barbara thanked Margie for her report and commented that the outlook is continuing to be encouraging.

Corresponding Secretary Sharon Bishop sent a note to Barbara Gibson from Pat Rollie, thanking everyone for her "Big Bag", and said she loved it. Barbara said "Thank You" to Pat Rollie for her many helps to the Guild, which was greeted with a round of applause.

Joni Kellam, Workshop Chair, gave the report for Programs and Workshop, since they work together. She announced upcoming programs scheduled: October, we will have our annual Strip Poker Party, (bring 2-1/2" strips to use for the card games), plus our 'Giving Back to the Community' (bring soaps, creams, toiletries to be given to a charity organization); November, Shelley Swanland (Cathedral Windows), workshop on the following Saturday, making a table runner made using her 'cathedral windows' method, and December, our Christmas Party and the Chanteurs will be back to entertain us again. She announced that so far, 12 completed quilts have been donated by the Guild members to the "Fallen Warrior" project.

In addition, Joni announced there will be a much-requested workshop 'Sweatshirt Makeover for the Holidays' on October 9 at Patchwork Penguin, taught by Alice Smith, more details elsewhere in the newsletter, \$10 for members, \$20 for outsiders. Alice Smith then displayed various styles of the sweatshirt makeover to give an idea of what to plan. She advised to get a sweatshirt one size larger than you normally wear, to allow for the adjustments made.

Barbara said it was a shame that the members did not get to see some of the beautiful quilts presented to the Fallen Warrior project. Caren Ryan and Sandy put together the squares made by the members and the color arrangements were outstanding. She noticed that the people at Patchwork Penguin, who were cutting the squares for the Project Linus quilts, were putting threads, bits and pieces of cloth left when cutting the squares, into cloth bags, which were sealed and sent to Haiti. So think of this when you are cutting

out a quilt.

Show Chair 'Sheriff' Heidi St. Royal thanked everyone for the many get well cards, and the President's Quilt presented to her, with special thanks to Alice Smith and Pat Rollie for all their special contributions. The Opportunity Quilt is already on the move, it has been to Mammoth and back and around Los Angeles. The first Quilt Show meeting was held prior to the meeting, gathering ideas for the show, with the next meeting on October 5, at Quilt 'n Things in Montrose. There are vacancies to be filled on the committee and she invited anyone who would like to get involved to join in. She announced that 'Deputy' Sharon Bishop had the tote bags for sale at the meeting for \$20, but considering the size of the bags this year, it was a Project Bag. She announced we were considering a contest at the show for a vest, with prizes. She called for a discussion and it was decided by show of hands that the contest should be for western apparel. Prizes for first, second and third place in the decorated cowboy hat contest were awarded. A contest for a Show Logo of a branding iron for GQG will be held at the next meeting. Submit your drawings for judging, showing the branding iron GQG however you wish.

Barbara Stuart, Membership Chair, announced there were 98 members at the meeting, and said there were 2 new affiliates added. The drawing prizes were contributed by Caren Ryan, Mayhall's, Melinda Helscher, Pollards and Quilt 'n things.

Kits for Loving Hands' Baby quilts were available at the meeting. These quilts will be given to the hospital for the babies in intensive care.

Librarian Susan Edwards said the library book list is now available on the website. When you want a book, order it on the website, and Susan will bring it to the next Guild meeting. Last meeting 10 books were checked out and 18 at this meeting.

The Block of the Month had 25 blocks, which were won by 4 different members, with an invitation to bring back their completed quilt for show and tell. October block of the month is western theme, with the 4 center blocks furnished, if you picked up your pattern at the meeting.

Barbara thanked Alice Turner & Company for the 'Back to School' quilts displayed at the meeting.

Nan Maples said the printout of the Bylaws for the Guild were available to pick up at the meeting, and urged everyone to 'actually read' the Bylaws, as there would be a call for final approval by the membership at the November meeting.

The San Fernando Quilt Guild Opportunity Quilt was on display, with raffle tickets available and Glendale Guild members were invited to their show May 21 and 22.

Our guest speaker, Sharon Wilhite presented her trunk show of beautiful quilts and fabrics and told the story of how she got involved in designing fabric and quilt patterns for some of the well-known and respected manufacturers.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted  
Frances Brannon



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS/ MEMBER NEWS

**Oct. 2-3** Simi Valley Quilt Guild presents  
 "America, My Home" Quilt Show  
*Honoring our service personnel*  
 Sat, 10-5 Sunday 10-4  
 Rancho Santa Susan Community Center  
 5005 Los Angeles Ave., Simi Valley, CA

**Oct. 8-9** Los Angeles County Quilters  
 "A Quilters Palette," quilt show  
 Friday (10/08/10) 9am-6pm,  
 Saturday 10/09/10 8am-3pm.  
 Ritz Gardens, 1201 First Ave, Whittier CA  
 90603. Admission \$7.00.  
 LACQG is known for displaying their quilts in  
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**Oct 22-23** Our Affiliate's QUILT & THINGS  
**HALLOWEEN SHOP HOP**  
 SEVEN shops along the 210 freeway  
 corridor are joining forces to bring  
 you a great little Shop Hop.  
 Friday, 10 am - 7 pm  
 Saturday, 10 am - 5 pm  
 Contact Quilt & Things for more details

**Oct. 23** Flying Geese Quilters Guild Quilted  
 Treasures Quilt Auction and Dessert  
 Tea Saturday, at 2:00-5:00 pm  
 Trinity United Presbyterian Church  
 13922 Prospect Santa Ana, CA  
 Come join us for a wonderful afternoon of  
 fun, friends, fabulous quilts, baskets,  
 silent auction items, door prizes and more!  
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**Announce special events in the next  
 newsletter. Email by the Monday following our  
 General Meeting, info, dates & times to the  
 New Editor: Karen Waller  
[waller8112@roadrunner.com](mailto:waller8112@roadrunner.com)**

### A SPECIAL MESSAGE ☺

**My dear friends!**

It was great seeing everyone last meeting. I missed you all during my convalescence. Thank you again for all your cards, phone calls, and e-mails of encouragement. A friend, Mona Hobson, sent me this message, "Congratulations on becoming a quilt. All cut up and stitched back together." How true!

Speaking of quilts, a huge heartfelt thanks to you my friends for a most cherished President's quilt. Each and every one of your sentiments will be treasured forever. So many friends throughout the years took time to send wishes. Special thanks to a talented past president, Alice Smith, for designing and coordinating this project. You are an inspiration to us all. Love you, Rasa Read, the master quilter known for her fabulous binding technique, you finished off this treasure with your impeccable talent. Love you too, master quilter Pat Rollie, thanks for holding all the cute Scotties and friends signatures together with your award winning quilting. As they say, absence makes the heart grow fonder, and my newly repaired heart proved this true! You are all so special to me.

xxxxoo Love, your friend,

Heidi

## EDITOR'S CORNER



**Don't you just love Fall  
 (Colors) !**

I received a wonderful email from a Guild member. I hope she doesn't mind. No names will be mentioned, but it put a smile on my face, (like hers), so I thought I would share. Here is just an excerpt from it:

**"....I still have a huge smile on my face, the Loving Hands meeting yesterday was wonderful, again! My first time at Loving Hands was in August and it was awesome. The people are wonderful and friendly and smiling; who could help but smile with all the beautiful fabrics, and everything at your fingertips. I hope everyone has a chance to experience this: preparing the kits for the Guild Meetings, choosing backing and binding fabrics for the finished kit tops, taking them home to quilt and bind (or just quilt, several people are like me and love to do bindings) and the best event of the day (drumroll), showing off all the quilts completed since the last meeting."**

Doesn't that just warm your heart! See you at the meeting!

Karen Waller, Editor

# AFFILIATE HAPPENINGS & MEMBER NEWS

## SPECIAL NEWS BULLETIN FROM OUR PUBLICITY CHAIR!

There are so many quilt shows coming up! I am looking for volunteers to bring our Show's flyer to these shows. If you are going to any, please e-mail or call me if you can bring flyers to place on an information table. Also, if you are going to a show I haven't listed let me know too.

**Oct 7th - 9th Pomona Quilt & Craft Show**

**Oct 8th & 9th LA County Quilters Guild, Whittier**

**Nov 5th & 6th Orange Grove Quilters, Garden Grove**

**Nov 12th & 13th High Country Quilters, Palmdale**

Your help is so appreciated by your Guild. Thank you.

Brandi Nalley, Quilt Show Publicity

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**WANTED:** Someone to hand baste a queen size quilt. Do you know someone who does? If you are available for hire, please call or email me. Caren Cooke Ryan, [moonoverthemountain@juno.com](mailto:moonoverthemountain@juno.com). 626 335-9351

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It's really easy. Just go to our website at [www.glendalequiltguild.org](http://www.glendalequiltguild.org) and click on the

## ATTENTION AFFILIATES:

We have space for you to make announcements, offer specials & keep the Guild informed about your business. Contact us & we will be happy to distribute your information to our membership.

**Our Affiliate QUILT & THINGS Invites Guild Members to Join them for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual HALLOWEEN SHOP HOP**

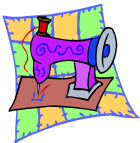
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**Friday, October 22<sup>ND</sup> from 10 am - 7 pm**

**Saturday, October 23<sup>RD</sup>, from 10 am - 5 pm**

**There will be prizes and free giveaways.**

**Stop in to pick up a flyer.**



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Meetings are held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month at the

**Glendale Central Library Auditorium, 222 East Harvard Street, Glendale, California**

Social Time: 6:00 – 6:30 PM. Meeting begins at 6:30 PM. Guest fees: \$5.00 per meeting.

Membership dues are payable July 1 and are delinquent at the end of the August General Meeting.  
Active Members: \$30.00, Seniors (62+ years): \$25.00, Affiliates: \$35.00, Newsletter Only: \$30.00

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**SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS THE MONDAY AFTER THE GENERAL MEETING.**



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MEETING: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2010, 6:30 P.M.

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