



Newsletter

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Wednesday, June 14, 2017 6:45 PM

Fabric + Food + Fundraising + Friendship = Fabulous June Fun!

June's GQG General Meeting will be loaded with activities: **Table Top Sale**, **Pot Luck**, **Loving Hands Raffle**, and **Officer Installation**.

Table Top Sale: Loads of fabric will be marketed by the **Guild**. Rolled pre-priced fabric, originally available during the Bazaar, is now discounted an additional 50%. Yes, incredibly 1/2 off the already marked low, low prices. How can a fabric hoarder go wrong?! You'll also find folded fabric for \$2 per pound. This ridiculously low pricing equates to about 50 cents per yard.

Need another excuse to shop? We are also fortunate to present a group of **Guild Members** at the **Table Top Sale** who will be selling their own amazing items, including fabric, antique quilt tops, and wood turned bowls and art works.

Tables will be set up in the entryway at the church meeting hall. Shopping begins at 6:15 PM, pauses at 6:45 PM during dinner and the Business Meeting & Installation and continues again until 8:30. Look for details of the **Loving Hands Raffle** in the **Loving Hands** section of this Newsletter.

Our **June Pot Luck**, is again, graciously organized by Alice Turner, Maryann Kroening and Nancy Turney. Thank you, ladies! Dinner assignments are as follows:

F through K Starters - salads, olives/pickles, bread/rolls/butter, appetizers, deviled eggs

L through U Side Dishes - veggies or fillers (potato/rice/pasta)

R through Z Desserts - sweets, fruit, or cheese

A through E Main Dishes - protein: meat, fish, hummus, or vegetarian main dish

Everyone looks forward to the delicious food brought by our members. The buffet table will be set up in the front of the room. Please walk your food items to the front. If you need help, just let another Guild member know. Please remember that we do not have use of the kitchen. It is helpful to mark your serving dishes (and the covers) and serving utensils with your name. Bottled water will be provided by the Guild. You are welcome to bring your own beverage, as well. We are looking forward to seeing everyone during the June meeting! Stop at the ATM along the way, but don't miss this event-filled evening.



WE WILL NOT BE MEETING FOR DINNER PRIOR TO THE MEETING IN JUNE.

The President's Block



At our **June** potluck meeting we will have a special guest, Laura Landaker, who will be there to receive our Camper Quilts. In addition, our tabletop sale will be one you won't want to miss. There will be super deals on fabric, antique quilt tops from one of our members, antique quilts from another, and much more... We'll have opportunity tickets to win hand rolled jellyrolls! (Don't forget to bring some cash.)

For those who want to know more about why your machine doesn't play nice with specialty threads, the June workshop is a must. Not only will you end up with your own reference chart to take home

, but will get an explanation of how sewing machines work to accommodate the different threads and how to avoid thread issues in the future. If you want to take the class, email Jackie Carlos, Workshop Chair, reserve your spot and mail her the check OR sign up on-line at <http://www.glendalequiltguild.org/programs--workshops.html>, and still email her that you have done so – that way she has an accurate count if someone calls or emails her. Don't miss out! Space is limited.

Quilting

Someone **very wise** once said that one could pay \$100 for an hour in therapy, and afterwards they'd feel better OR one could spend \$100 on fabric and an hour quilting alone or with friends. At the end of the hour they would not only feel better, but they'd have something to show for it. (Plus have more fabric – that is always a bonus.)

For those of us who love quilting, there is no better way to express ourselves, or find comfort, than making a quilt. Quilts are a wonderful way to show what we are going through at different times. A marriage of family or friends, we make a quilt; a baby is born, we make a quilt; a child has a birthday or graduates, we make a quilt; a friend or family member is ill or passes way, we make a quilt; a national disaster or fire, we a make a lot of quilts. We make art and landscape quilts to show our appreciation of nature. We find a special fabric that we absolutely have to have and make a quilt for that. We make modern quilts, because we don't like rules, then we make rules for our 'no rule' quilts, to define them so others can join in. Sometimes we make quilts, just because.

Quilting is flexible. We can quilt at home in our PJ's, quilt with friends, quilt on a cruise, retreat or anywhere in the world, with or without a machine. There are no limitations on who quilts or where quilting is done. There is even a blind lady, Diane Rose, who quilts. If someone wants to quilt, there is always a place for them to meet likeminded people who share the same love for fabric, design, and let's not forget the fabulous sewing machines and ~~toys~~ tools.

With our show coming up, we have a wonderful opportunity to share with other quilters our love of quilting and all the variety of talent in our guild. This is a venue to express anything we want with our quilting.

It's not too late! If you haven't yet started a quilt for the show, come up with an idea or pattern, (fellow quilters or the internet are always great sources), pull out that fabric, (even better, use the show as an excuse to buy more), and get going. If making a quilt for our show feels intimidating, consider it an extra special comfort quilt for an extra special person – YOU! Treat yourself! Make a quilt that shows your love of quilting! ...And then...put it in the show!

Happy Quilting,
Colleen Shier

Programs & Workshops Schedule

June 2017 – No Speaker/ Potluck

6/14/2017 – **Table Top Sale**

6/17/2017 – **Shawnee Miller:**

Thrilling Threads, Thread Sampler

July 2017 – Becky McDaniel

7/12/2017 – **My Quilting Journey**

7/15/2017 – **Orange Peel Pillow**

****Special Workshop****

07/28/17 & 7/29/17

**Mike McNamara's Technique
Workshop - Make Some Fabric!**

Sign up for either day or both days!!

August 2017 – Dragonfly Dyeworks

08/09/2017 – **Making Stuff! Why We
Do What We Do**

08/12/2017 – **Ice Dying**

**All workshops are from 9:00am-
4:00pm at Women's Athletic Club -
unless otherwise noted.**

Women's Athletic Club (WAC)
600 South Verdugo Road
Glendale, CA 91205

MEETINGS

BOARD MEETING

Thursday June 8, 2017

Meeting 6:30 PM

Glendale Women's Athletic Club

600 S Verdugo Rd.

Glendale, CA 91205

Next Board Meeting: July 7, 2017

GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

Social hour 6:15 PM

Meeting 6:45 PM

1st Congregational Church of Glendale

2001 Cañada Blvd, Glendale

Next Guild Meeting: July 12, 2017

LOVING HANDS

Friday, June 16, 2017

10:00 AM Until 3:00 PM

Women's Athletic Club

600 South Verdugo Road

Glendale, CA 91205

Guest Policy Reminder: Each member is allowed to bring one guest to one meeting at no charge to the guest. The normal guest fee is \$5.00 per meeting.

Quilters Division of Women's Athletic Club (WAC)

The WAC Quilters are adding to their ranks having added four new members. All are busy working on individual projects and enjoying each other's company. They hosted the May Luncheon and welcomed Detective Lee from the Glendale Police Department to speak about telephone and mail fraud and scamming.

For those who belong to WAC, Monday Sew is from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM and Monday Sew on Wednesday is from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. All GQG members are welcome to join WAC!

Submitted by Cindy Abrams Kathi Wilson and Susan Edwards, Co-Chairs



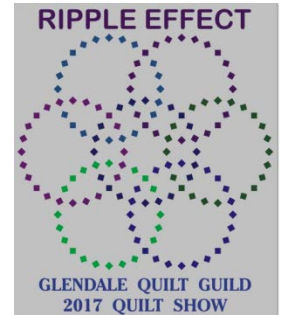


GQG Quilt Show 2017 “Ripple Effect”

Wow! Only 3 months left until Ripple Effect Quilt Show time!

This month, let's focus on a few reminders:

- **Book classes** before they fill up. See the class list on the website and reserve your seats now, while they're still available. Seats are limited and wait lists are no fun!
- **Book rooms** at the Sheraton Pasadena. A quilt show is much more fun, when you don't have to miss an evening event, dinner with friends or late night sewing.
- **Reserve the Retreat Package** with a quilting buddy and take advantage of everything that's offered. Reserve the Retreat Package on the website or contact the hotel for a regular room reservation at (626) 449-4000 Code GQG or online at www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/GQG2017.
- **Sign up** for volunteer duty. The minimum requirement for GQG members is a 2-hour shift at the show, but your expert assistance is needed in many areas, so please sign up for a couple more hours to help make this show the best one ever. We have seated positions available, so check the Volunteer Sign-up Lists for availability.



Remember, this is YOUR show. Let's all work together to produce what the Glendale Quilt Guild is known for ~ an outstanding Quilt Show!

Notes from the Judging Room: 5 Items Judges Notice

1. **An original design** - You don't have to design a completely new quilt, however, judges look for original and innovative interpretations in quilt designs. Make it your own by selecting your own fabrics and using them in ways that make your quilt look unique. Each year, quilts from popular patterns are entered, but simple changes can make yours stand out as different.
2. **Good workmanship** - As with any quilt you make, straight seams, matching points, straight borders and well applied binding make all the difference. Take time to show off your talent in these areas and the judge is sure to notice.
3. **Even distribution of quilting** - A beautiful quilt deserves a balance of quilting to enhance its beauty. Whether quilted by hand, home machine or longarm, the quilting should be consistent throughout to enhance the design. Plus, an even stitch length and well-balanced tension will ensure your quilting receives the attention it deserves.
4. **A clean quilt** - Every year someone enters a soiled quilt. Before leaving your quilt at Intake, make sure it is free of pet or human hair, odors (including perfume) and stains. Quilts with these problems must be segregated to prevent contamination of the other quilts and they may not be judged.
5. **Finished binding** - This means the binding should be full of batting, flat and containing no lumps. The binding should also be securely attached to the quilt and have the corners sewn closed. Judges always feel the binding and check the corners.

By being aware of these items, your quilt will be one-up on the competition. Look for future articles each month to enhance your quilts and increase your chances of winning a ribbon at **RIPPLE EFFECT**, our 2017 GQG Show.

Until next month,

Your Show Chairs, Sandy, Tina & Beth

BOARD & STANDING COMMITTEES

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Sunshine and Shadows	Mernie Meier	(626) 824-0630
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Philanthropy	Open	
Publicity	Open	
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Block of the Month	Susan Edwards	(818) 790-2214
Welcome/Hospitality	Karen Millman	(818) 214-3288
Trips	Open	
Printing Liaison	Elke Miyahara	(626) 675-0432
BookWhen	Kathy Fogel	(818) 330-9372



Nancy Ota Workshop attendees show off their work!

GQG Officers elected for fiscal year July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018

President..... Colleen Shier
 Vice President..... Tim Spinn
 Recording Secretary..... Sharon Bishop
 Communications Secretary.. Mernie Meier
 Treasurer..... Kathy Fogel
 Parliamentarian..... Donna Ryan
 Program Chair..... Cindy Abrams
 Program Co Chair..... An Burgess
 Workshop Chair..... Susan Edwards
 Fundraising Co ChairsSandy Bradfield
 Tina Curran
 ... Beth Hasenauer
 2018 Fundraising Chair..... Kathi Wilson
 2018 Fundraising Co Chair. Craig Coleman
 Membership Co Chairs..... Pat Golditch
 Karen Millman
 Newsletter Editor..... Elke Miyahara
 Loving Hands Chair..... Tina Curran

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW BOARD!!

Back By Popular Demand: Mike MacNamara

The Workshop Committee is thrilled to announce that one of last year's favorite instructors has agreed to return to GQG and teach again. Mike MacNamara, or Mac as he prefers to be addressed, is a quilting teacher from San Francisco. Last year's class was so much fun and we learned four techniques that were creative, unique and usable. Mac does not teach a specific block or quilt pattern. Instead he teaches how to "make fabric". He tells us he has more techniques up his sleeve and will be sharing them in two days of workshops on July 27 and 28, 2017. These workshops are in addition to the colorful Orange Peel Pillow workshop being taught by Becky McDaniels on July 15, 2017.

Sign up for either day or both days at
<https://bookwhen.com/gqgregister>

~ Membership ~

We currently have 150 members and six Affiliate members. Sixty-five members attended the May meeting. We welcomed visitors: Cindy Tanaka, Kay Gong, Lorraine Taylor, and Belinda Nakasoto. We were glad to see Joyce Wilkinson, Affiliate Member (Quilting for You). Please welcome new members Julie Blomdahl, Susan Graham, and returning member Kim Brown. The 2017/18 Renewal Membership forms are available on our website and at the membership table. We look forward to seeing you at a meeting soon!

Leanne Compean and Tim Spinn, Membership chairs

Happy Birthday!

To our members born in June!

First	Last	Bmo	Bday
Flo	Cohen	Jun	6
Betty	Fisher	Jun	6
Barbara	Gibson	Jun	6
Rasa	Read	Jun	6
Brandi	Nalley	Jun	9
Heidi	St. Royal	Jun	9
Lisa	Burroughs	Jun	14
Sandy	Bradfield	Jun	16
Judy	Hine	Jun	20
Sharon	Mayeux	Jun	26

Loving Hands

At the May guild meeting, 36 quilt tops were turned in, created by Cathy McNassor and Margaret McNeal, who made 29(!) of them. And 27 finished quilts were turned in, completed by Annie Laurie Babson, Leah Bessey, Joliene Blanchard, Joanne Brown, Craig Coleman, Cathy Euler, Lou Gallo, Carolyn Hodapp, Marie Waterlond and Kathi Wilson. A number of these were our camper quilts.

Camper quilt update: as of the May meeting, we had 24 of the promised 25 quilts completed and another six were in some stage of production. So it looks like we'll have 30 quilts to donate to the camp for children of military kids. We'll present them at our June meeting to Laurie Landaker, a Gold Star Mom and one of the founders of the camp. Please bring in any completed quilts intended for this purpose (minimum size 55" x 70") so that we can send them off to the camp with Laurie.

Also at the June meeting we'll have a raffle for some hand-made jelly rolls. When we cut the pieces for the camper quilts from novelty and graphic print fabrics, we also cut a total of 300 2-1/2" strips. We've rolled these into a dozen jelly rolls, each with 25 different strips. We will be selling raffle tickets for \$1 apiece, 12 for \$10 or 25 for \$20. The money will go to buying more batting to complete more Loving Hands quilts.

Please remember that Loving Hands now meets the third Friday of the month. So in June, the regular work session will be on Friday, June 15th at the WAC. We hope to see you on the 15th!

Tina Curran and Loving Hands Volunteers

Camper Quilts and Jelly Rolls



"Down by the Seashore" Block Exchange

By Kathi Coleman Wilson

A Guild Block Exchange for our June 14th, 2017 General Meeting

We need at least 9 participants for this to succeed, so please plan on joining the fun.

Here's how it works:

- Make 9 bathing suit blocks (your choice, 1 piece or 2 piece, or some of each).
- Save 1 of the 9 blocks for your quilt.
- Put 8 blocks in a zip lock bag with your name on the bag and bring it to the June 14th meeting.
- Turn in the bag **AS SOON AS YOU ARRIVE**.
- At the end of the meeting you will receive your bag back with 8 different Bathing Suit blocks.
- If you finish the quilt just like the pattern, it is 42" wide X 67" long...beach blanket size!

"Down by the Seashore" Block Construction:

1. Use scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam (scant just means 1-2 thread widths shy of $\frac{1}{4}$ ").
2. Please trim threads and press as you go.
3. Make your 9 bathing suits all the same or all different, whatever you want to do to use up your stash!
4. **Suits:** Please use bright prints (2 different per bathing suit).
5. **Background:** Please use white or white-on-white.
6. **Instructions:** just go to www.unitednotions.com/fp_sanibel.pdf and download the free pattern or find the pattern in our blasts.

The finished quilt will measure 42" by 67", a nice beach towel size.

If you don't have access to a computer we have a few copies available at guild meetings.

Questions? Just contact Kathi Wilson at domehikr@aol.com or call: 818 422-8798.



Workshop Review

We had an absolutely wonderful GQG Workshop on Saturday, May 13th. Nancy Ota was our teacher and the class was Sashiko. Nancy has won ribbons in major shows in Paducah, Houston, Santa Clara, Ontario and Japan. For those of us who had never done Sashiko, it was a truly great class to learn the hand embroidery technique. To learn how to patiently stitch lines in rows and not only to create straight lines but to also create circles, squares, rectangles, triangles, and diamond shapes. For those who had had a class before it was an opportunity to brush up on the stitch patterns and add a few more techniques that Nancy showed us. We also enjoy hearing more about her stories of how she came across some of her beautiful fabrics and apparel through antique shops and markets, both locally and on her travels to Japan, and how she came to appreciate the value of the art, apparel, and fabrics using Sashiko. There were 21 ladies in attendance and we all enjoyed a day of chatting, stitching, snacking, and camaraderie.

We are really growing in our Workshop attendance and the consensus appears to be that our group is finding our past and upcoming Workshops quite inviting and enjoyable. We appreciate your early sign-ups and encourage your input. And because of that it made this another successful Workshop.

Thank you all for your participation and bringing such fun and success to our Workshops.

Submitted by Jackie Carlos

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING REPORT

MINUTES OF THE GLENDALE QUILT GUILD EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MAY 4, 2017

I. The **meeting** was called to order at 6:37 p.m. at the Glendale Women's Athletic Club and a quorum was present. Present: Colleen Shier, President; Sharon Bishop, Recording Secretary; Kathy Fogel, Treasurer; Mernie Meier, Communications Secretary; Donna Ryan, Parliamentarian; Cindy Abrams and An Burgess, Programs; Jackie Carlos, Workshops; Tim Spinn and Leane Compean, Membership; Elke Miyahara, Newsletter; Tina Curran, Loving Hands; Beth Hasenauer, Fund Raising; Sandy Bradfield, Advisor; and Maria Rodriguez, Guild member.

II. The **minutes** of the previous meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

III. BOARD AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

Treasurer/Fogel: The Treasurer's Report for April was presented. Reminder: the Budget Committee will be meeting soon to work on the Budget for the coming term. All officers are asked to review their budget and submit their recommendations for the upcoming budget year. In addition, officers were asked to review procedures for their offices and make any additions/changes to the procedures online.

Communications Secretary/Meier: Sunshine and Shadows – Gail MacCartney has been in the hospital.

Parliamentarian/Ryan: The election of the new slate of officers will take place at the General Membership meeting May 10.

Programs/Abrams: Upcoming programs were announced. After attending the SCCQG *Meet the Teacher* event, the team is busy working on scheduling future speakers. Reminder: dinner with the speaker before the meeting is now 4:45 p.m.

Workshops/Carlos: Workshops for the next few months are filling up. An additional workshop has been added for July 28 and 29, 2017 with Mike McNamara.

Membership/Spinn: Membership forms have been updated and are available online.

Newsletter/Miyahara: Send articles for June Newsletter directly to Tim.

Fund Raising/Bradfield: Show Flyers are available and being delivered to various locations. Luke Haynes has confirmed for exhibiting his quilts but he is unable to attend. The committee is still working on getting more vendors. There will be a *Men Who Quilt* exhibit. Guild Programs Co-Chair Burgess asked for clarification on the amount of space and location that can be used to highlight the Guild's upcoming programs. Space is assured but how much and where must wait until a layout of the show is completed.

The next Quilt Show Committee meeting is May 25.

Loving Hands/Curran: An order for additional labels has been placed. So far, of the 25 camper quilts we committed to, we have completed 19 and there are 7 additional hashtag quilts that are almost done so we are in good shape for the July deadline. The next Loving Hands day is Friday May 19 at which time work on the camper quilts will continue. There are 12 *jelly rolls* ready for the opportunity drawing at the June meeting. There was a discussion on how to handle donations of sewing supplies. It was suggested that a committee be formed to develop a policy on how to receive and distribute sewing supply donations. President Shier will appoint a committee and report their suggestions to the Board.

Email Blast/Shier: The blasts are looking great. Please send photos to Colleen to be used in the blasts.

Website/Facebook/Fogel: The Show flyer is online. We are very close to 400 "Likes" on Facebook.

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

We received a lovely thank you note from Pat Golditch for receiving Honorary Life Membership.

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. The calendar for 2017-2018 was presented with a suggestion that due to Ash Wednesday falling on a Guild meeting, we move the February Executive Board Meeting to February 1, the General Membership Meeting to February 7, and the Guild Workshop to February 10, 2018.

2. The contract with the First Congregational Church is good through December 2017.

3. As a point of information, the WAC Board has approved mounting quilt holders on the walls at the WAC building to be used for displaying quilts and design walls. New Guild member Lou Gallo has offered to make the holders for WAC.

VI. The meeting was **adjourned** at 7:50 p.m.

Sharon Bishop, Recording Secretary

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING REPORT

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING OF THE GLENDALE QUILT GUILD MAY 10, 2017

I. The **meeting** was called to order by President Shier at 6:45 p.m. at the First Congregational Church in Glendale.

II. The **minutes** of the previous meeting were approved as printed in the Newsletter.

III. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Busy Bear Quilt Guild is visiting with their opportunity quilt.
- Orange County Guild and Antelope Valley Guild will hold quilt shows June 3 and 4.
- After Show and Tell, please put your quilts on the table so everyone can get a closer look.
- Please send photos to Colleen to be used for Email Blasts and Facebook

IV. BOARD REPORTS

Vice President/Wilson: The next SCCQG meeting will be July 8 in Santa Clarita and the topic will be Bylaws and Standing Rules.

Treasurer: The April Treasurer's Report was presented by President Shier.

Parliamentarian/Ryan: The slate of officers for the coming term was announced. There were no nominations from the floor for any of the offices. A motion was made and seconded to accept the slate of officers as presented. The motion passed unanimously. Congratulations to the following officers: President, Colleen Shier; Vice President, Tim Spinn; Recording Secretary, Sharon Bishop; Communications Secretary, Mernie Meier; Treasurer, Kathy Fogel; Parliamentarian, Donna Ryan; Program Chairs, Cindy Abrams and An Burgess; Workshop Chair, Susan Edwards; 2017 Fund Raising Chairs, Sandy Bradfield, Tina Curran and Beth Hasenauer; 2018 Fund Raising Chairs, Kathi Wilson and Craig Coleman; Membership Chairs, Pat Golditch and Karen Millman; Newsletter Chair, Elke Miyahara; and Loving Hands Chair, Tina Curran.

Communications Secretary/Meier: Gail MacCartney was hospitalized recently and Beth Hasenauer's parents are ailing. Carolyn Hodapp was recently rear-ended. She is doing fine but her car, not so much. Carolyn now has a new car. Lois Stelzer, one of our Master Quilters, is being honored with a one-woman quilt show.

Newsletter/Spinn: Please submit all articles for the June Newsletter to Tim who will be preparing the newsletter.

Programs/Abrams: The next Guild meeting promises to be a busy, fun evening with the Pot Luck, members' table top sale, and Guild table top sale where fabric from the Bazaar will be half the marked price. Due to popular demand, another workshop has been scheduled with Mike McNamara on July 28 and 29 and you may take one day or both days.

Workshops/Carlos: Workshops are filling up. Be sure to sign up early.

Membership/Spinn: There are 65 members in attendance and five visitors were welcomed. Membership renewal forms are available on line.

Fund Raising 2017/Bradfield: The Show is only four months away. Quilt entries begin June 1. Flyers are available and show pins have been ordered. There will be several special quilt exhibits including Men Who Quilt and an exhibit of modern quilts. Forms and tags are available for the Boutique. We need volunteers to help take the Opportunity Quilt to various guild meetings and other locations to sell tickets and promote the show. Contact Marie Waterlond for more information.

Loving Hands/Curran: We have completed 24 of the 25 camper quilts we committed to. Please bring all camper quilts to the June meeting as we will be presenting the quilts to a representative from the camp. We received another generous donation from Candy's. At the June meeting we will have hand-rolled jelly rolls of 25 strips each which we will raffle off at \$1 per ticket or 25 tickets for \$20. The next Loving Hands day is May 19.

Block of the Month/Edwards: 34 blocks were turned in, enough for three winners.

June Block Exchange/Wilson: Bring your Down by the Seashore blocks to the June meeting to participate in the block exchange.

V. SHOW AND TELL

VI. PROGRAM

Nancy Ota gave an interesting and informative talk on Japanese fabrics and shared many examples.

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

Sharon Bishop, Recording Secretary

CALENDAR OF EVENTS / MEMBER NEWS

Flying Geese Quilters Guild presents Quilts for All Seasons

June 3 & 4, 2017

Saturday-10am-4pm, Sunday-10am-3:30pm
Soka University

One University Drive in Aliso Viejo, CA

Admission: \$10, Free Parking

Quilt Auction, Sat. June 3 at 2 p.m.

Vendors, Antique Quilt Display, Raffle Baskets

www.Flying-Geese.org
www.QuiltsForAllSeasons.com

Antelope Valley Quilt Association Presents

Quilt Show & Auction RUBY JUBILEE

June 3 & 4, 2017

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

Antelope Valley Fairgrounds, Van Dam Pavillion
2551 West Avenue H, Lancaster, CA 93536

Admission: \$10 (covers 2 days), Free Parking

Husbands & Children under 12 Free

Exhibits, Vendors, Raffles, Make & Take Classes

www.avqa.org

Seven Sisters Quilt Show

Celebrate!

June 24 & 25, 2017

Saturday 9am-5pm, Sunday 9am-4pm

Alex Madonna Expo Center, San Luis Obispo, CA

General Admission - \$10 for weekend pass, Free Parking

Workshops with Jane Sassaman June 26-30, 2017

www.SevenSistersQuiltShow.org

Quilters By the Sea Quilt Show

"A Celebration of Quilting"

July 22-23, 2017

10:00 am

Expo Arts Center, 4321 Atlantic Avenue, Long Beach

<http://www.quiltersbythesea.com/>

Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds (SCCQG)

Next Meeting: July 8, 2017 10:00 a.m.

Topic: Bylaws, Standing Rules, and How to Run a Meeting

Hosted by the Santa Clarita Valley Quilt Guild

Location: HART HALL, 24151 NEWHALL
AVE., NEWHALL, CA

Please let Tim Spinn know if you want to attend so he can RSVP and arrange for carpools. This would be a good meeting for any Board Member to attend.

Sunshine and Shadows

Shadows:

Gail McCartney was hospitalized for over a week with pneumonia. She is home now, and continuing to recover. A "Get Well" card was sent on behalf of the Guild.

Carolyn Hodapp was in a car accident a few weeks ago, and her car was totaled. Fortunately, she was not hurt badly, though the same can't be said for her car. We hope the new car takes her everywhere she wants to go, safely!

Sunshine:

Lois Stelzer has a one woman Quilt Show. The details were read aloud at the May Guild meeting. Congratulations, Lois, your work is spectacular.

Candy's QuiltWorks donated 18-three yard cuts to to Loving Hands. A Thank You' card was sent to Candy's on behalf of the Guild.

If you hear about something happening with our Guild members, please send me an email so that I can send a card.

Mernie Meier

Funygrl@gmail.com

Opportunity Is Knocking!

Your help is needed in promoting and selling lots and lots of tickets for our Guild's beautiful opportunity quilt, Ripple Effect. There are two main ways you can help!

First, let me know of any venues or places or events where we can display the quilt and sell tickets. Do you belong to another guild? Could we bring it to a meeting? How about a local or semi-local art fair, craft show, community sale or bazaar? Since this is a major fundraiser for our philanthropic and charitable projects, we can often have the entry fee waived.

Second, sell tickets! How about all those people who hit you up for Girl Scout cookies, Cub Scout popcorn, church raffles, wrapping paper sales--time to call in the markers and ask them for support! I have lots of tickets so take a book or three and keep them handy for when the opportunity presents itself!

Marie Watterlond: mwatterlond@yahoo.com

Quilt Show Volunteer Sign Ups

Calling all GQG Members - Now is the time to come to the aid of your Guild by signing up for volunteer positions for the show. We have lots of places where volunteers are needed during the Show . . . some standing, some sitting, all rewarding and fun.

In order to make all of the Quilt Show activities a success, each Glendale Quilt Guild member must contribute two hours *during* show hours. As you are aware, this is a membership requirement in order to keep your Guild membership active and in good standing. If there is some compelling reason that you are unable to work during the actual hours of the show, it is important that you request an exception, in writing, as soon as possible.

Many people have contributed countless hours in preparation for the Show and will continue to do so during and after the Show. Anyone working more than one shift during the show will also be eligible for a \$10 voucher and our undying gratitude. While we need and encourage everyone to serve as many shifts as possible, there is a limit of one \$10 voucher per person.

So . . . please don't forget to sign up for your volunteer positions for the Show. The sign-up boards will be at the June, July and August meetings showing the various positions and times available. You may also call Kathy Fogel at 818-330-9372 or email her at kafogel@charter.net to sign up or if you have questions.

HELP! DOTS! HELP! DOTS! HELP! DOTS!

Believe it or not, it's time to get started on the 2017-18 Opportunity Quilt. Our goal is to have it finished and hanging at the show in September to kick off our next fundraising year. We have some very creative quilters who are pulling together an idea for a bright, bold, kinda' wacky, all-dots quilt and we need your help.

At the June 14th Guild Meeting we are collecting any bits, pieces and strips of bright dots (polka dots, small dots, and large dots, circles...just bright and fun). The quilt will be super scrappy so we can use pieces as small as 2" X 4" and as large as you'd like to donate. If you mark the fabric with your name we'll return what's left when we are done.

Be sure to attend the June meeting and we will reveal our terrific idea.

Questions? Kathi Coleman Wilson
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Sign up for Workshops at the General Meeting or:

1. Contact the Workshop Chair *JACKIE CARLOS*: 818-246-9729 or jamocar78@gmail.com.

2. Sign up online 24-7 at www.bookwhen.com/GQGregister
There is no processing fee to sign up online. Supply list and photo are available to download. All classes are held at the WAC.

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Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the
First Congregational Church of Glendale, 2001 Cañada Blvd., Glendale CA, 91208

Meeting: Social Time 6:15 PM. Meeting begins at 6:45 PM.
Guest fees: \$5.00 per meeting.

Membership dues are payable July 1st (delinquent at the end of the August General Meeting.)

Active Members: \$30.00; Affiliates: \$40.00

The newsletter is a monthly publication of the Glendale Quilt Guild. Members are invited to submit items of interest for publication at the General Meeting or by sending an email to Elke Miyahara at elke.miyahara@gmail.com

SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS THE MONDAY AFTER THE GENERAL MEETING.



MEETING: WEDNESDAY, June 14, 2017
6:45 PM, SOCIAL TIME 6:15 PM
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF GLENDALE
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You are invited to join us at our next meeting
on July 12, 2017
or contact us for more information:
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