



Newsletter

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www.glendalequiltguild.org

Wednesday, December 10, 2014 6:30 PM

Meeting time has been changed to 6:30 for the December meeting!

Holiday Potluck, Nestlé Choir, and Block Exchange



The holiday season is upon us, and our December General Meeting allows the Guild to come together in fellowship and good cheer to kick off the annual festivities. This is the time when we start planning our gift lists and anticipate the joy and charity of the season. Some of us may have even finished our Christmas shopping! We may wistfully remember holiday's past with loved ones who are forever in our hearts. And we look forward to creating new memories and traditions to cherish.

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It is also a good time to think of those who may need a little extra help this time of year. You may decide to donate to a food bank, buy a gift for a needy child, or invite a single person over to join in your celebrations. There are opportunities all around us to make a difference in someone's life. The Glendale Quilt Guild members show their giving spirit throughout the year, and especially during the holidays.

It's time for the Annual Holiday Party. This year, as always, there will be a feast of plenty (check out what to bring at the bottom of this page), a new Christmas Block Exchange, and the Nestlé Choir will entertain us with their special blend of holiday magic.



From its humble beginnings in 1990 as a 20 member caroling group with neither music nor accompaniment, the Nestlé Choir has become a much sought after performance ensemble with two CD's and numerous accolades to its credit.

Comprised entirely of volunteer Nestlé employees and contractors who rehearse for many weeks every year on their lunch hours, the Nestlé Choir shares its musical repertoire primarily during the holiday season. Dedicated Choir members perform on their own time for Nestlé functions, seniors facilities, service organizations, merchant groups, sporting events, volunteer, non-profit, and civic organizations.

Check out the newsletter for details about the Block Exchange and Hospitality on page three.

Hospitality: Annual Holiday Potluck Event

Members please contribute in the following ways (by last name):

A to E: Main Dishes

F to K: Salad and/or Fruit

L to Q: Side Dishes (Veggies, Dressing, Potatoes, etc.)

R to Z: Dessert & Cookies

Glendale Quilt Guild



The President's Block

"It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas..." Even in SoCal. The weather is finally changing - cooler, but not cold yet. Decorations and festive lights are in the stores and decorating the local streets. Kids are getting excited and ready to be done with school for the Holiday break. Family plans are being made to celebrate the season.

Growing up in New Jersey, I remember the weather beginning to change in September and becoming cold in October. By December, the leaves had fallen from the trees, the air was very cold and spending time at the farm with the horses became really fun. In the cold, they were more excited, too and riding in the snow or ice skating on the pond was always a favorite pastime for me. I couldn't wait to get out of school every day. We planned hay rides and bonfires and hikes in the woods. It was wonderful!

My family owned a hotel with a restaurant and lounge. They always closed the restaurant for December and January, when less people travelled down from New York for my uncle's famous roast beef and Yorkshire pudding. My cousins and I were allowed to transform the dining room into our holiday workshop every year. We made ornaments and garlands with popcorn and cranberries. We painted, glittered and decorated to our heart's content. My uncle would then take us out into the nearby tree farm, so we could choose our special Christmas tree, chop it down and set it up in the front of the big bay window, so everyone outside could see the lights. We painted snow scenes, pictures and snowflakes to decorate every window we could reach. And every evening the week before Christmas, we bundled up to go caroling in the neighborhood. Friends invited us in for hot chocolate or cider to warm up and good fun was had by all. Everything was magical in December.

I'm sure you all have fond memories of the holiday season. As I've travelled, I've found each place has

a different way of celebrating the season, but everywhere I have ever lived, it all boils down to spending quality time with family and friends. Now that my older grandchildren are growing up, they are still preserving the magic for the younger ones. We have less time together to make ornaments, but it's still a special time to come together at my house and decorate the tree with memories from the past. We make hot chocolate and cider. We bake goodies and make fudge. The most important gifts we can give our family and friends are happy Holiday memories. Time may fly by, but happy memories will last a lifetime.

This month, we will celebrate our Holiday Pot Luck at the December meeting. This is our annual "do not miss" meeting. A chance to socialize with friends, eat lots of good food and share the joys of the season with each other. Bring something to share, take part in the block exchange and dress up in holiday colors. After dinner, we will be entertained by the Nestle Choir, so be sure to sing along and enjoy the show.

This December, may you all make many happy memories with family and friends. From my house to yours ~ Happy Holidays! and a very Happy New Year!

Sandy



Hop on the Bus

Glendale Quilt Guild is going to

Road to California

Saturday, January 24, 2015

We will meet at 8:00 a.m.

Park & Ride, Glendale

(where Wilson, Broadway & Harvey meet
just West of the 2 & 134 Freeways)

\$15.00 Pays for your ride and your
entrance to the Show!!

Send your check made payable to the Glendale Quilt Guild
to:

Judy Sellers

3137 Hermosa Avenue

La Crescenta, CA 91214

818-248-4082

Future Programs & Workshops

December -

12/10/14 - Guild Holiday Party
Nestlé Choir, Block Exchange, Potluck

No Workshop in December

January - Lujean Seagal

lujeanquilt.com/

01/14/15 Program: **Beyond Boring Borders**

No Workshop in January -

****Save the date:**

01/17/2015

Loving Hands Weekend Addition at GWAC

February - Don Beld

donbeldquilts.com/

02/11/15 Program: **American Heroes Quilt**

02/14/15 Workshop: **Potholders Quilts**

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

****Remember: All Workshop Vouchers earned
through 2014 will expire at the end of 2015**

MEETINGS

BOARD MEETING

Thursday December 4, 2014

Meeting 6:30 PM

Glendale Women's Athletic Club

600 S Verdugo Rd.

Glendale, CA 91205

GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, December 10, 2014

Social hour 6:00 PM

Meeting 6:30 PM

1st Congregational Church of Glendale

2001 Cañada Blvd, Glendale

Next Guild Meeting: January 14, 2015

LOVING HANDS

Friday, December 12, 2014

10:00 AM Until Done

4916 Hillard Ave, La Cañada Flintridge

QUILT SHOW 2015

Tuesday, January 20, 2015

Meeting 6:30 PM

Citibank Community Room

*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.

December Holiday Party Block Exchange

One of our most creative Guild traditions is the December guild meeting annual block exchange! This year's guild meeting is December 10th, 2014.

This is how it works:

All blocks are to be made 6 ½ inches, which includes the seam allowance. You make any holiday pattern you like. However many you bring, is how many you trade for:

bring 3 – trade 3 – go home with 3

Bring 5 – trade 5 – go home with 5

etc...

This means that you may receive a great variety of squares that you can use to create a scrappy Christmas quilt to keep, give as a gift, or even donate to our own Loving Hands!

Jackie Carlos: 818-246-9279;

email: Jamocar78@gmail.com -or-

Ellen Gray 818-437-9745

HOSPITALITY

My thanks to Donna Hovartos, Leah Bessey, and Tim Spinn for their help with set up and clean up at the November meeting. I really appreciate your chipping in and making the job much easier.

In December I am looking forward to working with Lucy Agajanian. It will be just the two of us, so if anyone wants to pitch in and help with the Christmas fun we would love to see you. Food Assignments are on Page One.

Please see me to sign up to help in with Hospitality for a future month!

Susan Heine

QUILT SHOW "Home Is Where the Quilt Is" - March 13-14, 2015



QUILT SHOW WORKSHOP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

The Workshop Brochure has been mailed and is also available on the guild's website. A huge Thank You to Tim Spinn for creating our fabulous brochure. It looks so professional and the graphics make it fun too. We think we have a great selection of workshops with something for all skill levels and interests.

You may register one of two ways:

- ◆ Complete the **2015 Registration Form** (included in the Brochure and on the website)
- ◆ Online at www.bookwhen.com/GQGregister

Don't wait to sign up or you might miss out.

Use your Vouchers! Yes, Robin McKnight, Registration Chair, has worked her magic and volunteer vouchers can now be used when you register for show workshops online through BookWhen. A voucher gives you a \$10 credit towards your workshop fee. (Vouchers may not be used for merchandise, open sew, retreat, advance tickets, opportunity quilt tickets, or boutique items.) Whether you register online or by registration form, vouchers must be turned in to either Robin, Margie or Brandi prior to the show for you to be considered "paid in full."

Boutique! Start crafting now. Our boutique chairs are busy making plans for the popular and continually evolving GQG Boutique. This is a great way for members only to sell their handmade and quilt-related items while donating funds to the guild.

Sheraton Hotel Update! The Sheraton has generously extended their special quilt show rates to include Saturday and Sunday nights. What a great opportunity to unwind after the show and avoid the checkout rush Saturday morning. To reserve your room, use the link from the Quilt Show page on the guild's website or call (626) 449-4000, ask for Reservations and reference code GQG.

Enter a Quilt! Quilt entry is now open. The entry form and all the information you need is on the Quilt Show Forms page of the guild's website. Get your quilt professionally judged and receive that invaluable feedback for free if you're a member and \$10 for non-members. Open entry for quilts is what makes our show different from all the rest.

As always, email us at glendalequiltshow@gmail.com with any questions or comments.

Margie Emmons and Brandi Nalley
Quilt Show Co-Chairs

NEXT MEETING: The next Show Committee meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 2015, 6:30 pm, at the Montrose Branch Citibank community room (located at the back of the building). You don't have to be a committee member to attend; visitors are welcome!

Quilt Show Workshops

We are excited to present our fantastic roster of teachers.

Visit their websites to preview the classes that will be offered at our Show!

- ◆ Charlotte Warr Andersen (www.charlottewarrandersen.com)
 - ◆ Sheer Effects Landscape
 - ◆ Machine Quilt Geometric Designs without Marking
- ◆ Laurel Anderson (www.whispercolor.com)
 - ◆ How to Cheat at Appliqué: Hearts and Teacups
 - ◆ Geraniums
- ◆ Melissa Corry (www.happyquiltingmelissa.blogspot.com)
 - ◆ Wonky Irish Chain
 - ◆ In Your Neighborhood
- ◆ Flavin Glover (www.flavinglover.com)
 - ◆ Intro to Kaleidoscope Patchwork
 - ◆ Log Cabins on Point
- ◆ Sharla Hicks
 - ◆ Zentangles, Anything is Possible, One Stroke at a Time

BOARD & STANDING COMMITTEES

Executive Board Members

2014-2015

President	Sandy Bradfield	818-506-0673
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Librarian	Vacant	
Philanthropy	Joni Kellam	818 957-7430
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Standing & Special Committee Chairs

Block of the Month/ Rubber Ducky Club	Nan Maples	818-549-6490
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Printer Liaison	Nan Maples	818-549-6490
GWAC Liaison	Sharon Camping	323-256-7895

Thank you to our returning Affiliate Member:

COTTON & CHOCOLATE QUILT COMPANY
1724 Avenida De Los Arboles, Unit E
Thousand Oaks, CA 91362
805-241-0061

www.cottonandchocolate.com

Support all of our Affiliate members. Let them know you belong to the GQG when you visit their shops!

From the Judging Room

by Sandy Bradfield

This month's topic is Binding.

What does it mean when the Judge says the following: "Binding techniques need improvement."

Good binding should be 90 degrees at the corners, lie flat, be fully filled with fabric and batting and be stitched closed at the miter. Every judge pinches along the binding edge to test fullness and make sure basic binding standards are met. They also want to see an equal amount of binding on the front and back of the quilt. The width of the binding and choice of a butted or mitered corner is always your choice, but in competition, it should appear balanced with the quilt's design. The binding should also be firmly attached. The judge will run a fingernail along the finished edge to make sure no gaps are evident. Binding needs improvement is a very common response.

If unclear about binding issues, attend a workshop, take a class, join a mini-group, or ask a friend at a GQG meeting to refer you to someone who can help you. One of the most valuable benefits of membership in our Guild is the wealth of skill, experience and willingness to share among our members. With practice, you will become a binding expert. Enter your quilt into the next show and use the Judge's feedback to continue to improve your quilting techniques.

Access to a professional Judge is a valuable resource. Be sure to take advantage of their expertise.

LOVING HANDS WEEKEND ADDITION

Saturday, January 17, 2015

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Glendale Women's Athletic Club

Cost: \$10.00

(A chance to use your voucher before it expires)

Join us for a fun-filled day as we make blocks for the Lozenges Quilt and complete projects for Loving Hands Children's Quilts and the Alzheimer Project.



We'll supply some fabric, drinks, snacks, and prizes.

You supply the energy and your lunch, your machine and notions, some 2"x 2" black and 2"x 2" white squares if you have them.

Sign up at the Workshop table at a Guild Meeting or at www.bookwhen.com/GQGregister

~ Membership ~

We began handing out the new Membership Rosters at the November meeting. If you haven't pick up your copy, please see Scott Griffin or Mernie Meier at the Membership table at the December meeting to receive yours.

A special "Thank You" to Nan Maples for her help cleaning up the membership database and for orchestrating the printing of our Guild's membership roster through Nestlé.

Happy Birthday to our members who were born in the month of December.

Dottie	Ahrens	Dec	1
Leanne	Compean	Dec	1
Robin	McKnight	Dec	1
Beverly	Johnson	Dec	3
Caren	Ryan	Dec	9
Anna	Calnan	Dec	14
Jane	Lytthans	Dec	22
Margaret	McNeal	Dec	22
Sabine	Steinmetz	Dec	23
Kathi	Wilson	Dec	29

LOVING HANDS

We're once again in the swing of the holiday season, and your loving hands have been working harder than ever! Whether you were moving, redecorating, or just wanting to help, we were so grateful for generous fabric donations from Donna Hovartos, Martha Lewis, June McNamara, Mernie Meier, and Donna Ryan.

Our quilters outdid themselves as well. In addition to JuNaHaMa and Susan Edwards, we now have Craig Coleman and Robin McKnight quilting for the Binding Angels. Annie Raycraft and Donna Ryan each donated a finished quilt, and Mary Bolas, Nancy Hamilton, and Joni Kellam donated backs and batting to finish their kits. We also received finished quilts from Leah Bessey, Craig Coleman, and Kathy Fogel.

And where would we be without our Binding Angels? Thanks again to Donna Ryan, Peggy Barber, Barbara Stuart, and Polly Allen. Of course, the entire production begins with out Toppers, Doralee Dohnel, Cathy Euler, Ellen Gray, and Kerri Stimson.

We gave away quilts last month as well. Ten more went to the chemo patients at the Disney Family Cancer Center in Burbank and 40 were ecstasically received by the NICU nurses at Glendale Adventist Hospital.

We will have our final meeting of 2014 on Friday, December 12th at Susan Edwards' home, and we would like to invite all of our colleagues and friends to join us for the Second Annual Loving Hands Holiday Celebration at about 11:30. We plan to serve a "friendship salad" by asking each guest to bring a small amount of something that could be put into a salad; we'll supply the greens and the dressings. Of course there will be drinks and desserts and music and great fun. Please let Susan or Pat know if you can join us on December 12th so we know how much dessert to make.

Pat Golditch and Loving Hands Volunteers



Rubber Ducky Club November 2014



Rubber Duckie Club "Quilt of the Year"



Dear Duckies:

Anyone who believes they will have their 2014 Rubber Duckie Junction quilt top finished for the January Guild meeting, please contact me at nan.maples@us.nestle.com. I need to have a headcount to ensure that I have enough really cute Rubber Duckies to award in January.

Mother Duck

2015 Quilt Show Merchandise: Water Bottles

Of all the water bottles that I own, our show water bottle is the one that I like the best. It does not leak or spill all its contents when I knock it over or lay it on its side even with the spout open. And unlike my expensive aluminum bottle with the narrow neck, putting ice cubes in the bottle is easy. The curved body and handle is stylish and ergonomic.

2015 Show Pins

The colorful, well designed 2015 Show pins are here. Get yours at \$3 now. The price goes up to \$5 after the December meeting.

Reminder: 2015 Show merchandise price will increase after the December meeting.

Merchandise is available at the General Meeting.



Rasa Read and her beautiful quilt at the Pacific International Quilt Festival.

Opportunity Quilt

2015 "Home is Where the Quilt Is" Quilt Show

Opportunity Quilt – Update: including the ticket sales funds turned in at the November guild meeting, our fund-raising-to-date is already at \$430.00!

The quilt was on display at the holiday craft faire held at the Congregational Church of La Canada on November 15th & 16th (thanks again, Barbara Gibson!). It will also travel to the SCCQG meeting in January.

Additionally, the quilt will be on display at Road to California on Saturday, January 24th, 2015. The guild is responsible for 20 volunteer hours of white-gloving over the course of the four days of the show. We also have to staff the ticket-selling table in front of our quilt on Saturday the 24th. We already several members volunteering but need four more. If you'd also like to help - - and get a multi-day pass to the show for your efforts -- please contact Tina.

Lastly, we are pursuing other venues to display the opportunity quilt and sell tickets before it is raffled off in March. Please contact Tina if you have a place to display the quilt and sell tickets.

Opportunity Quilt Tickets – The tickets are available now. Each member is asked to sell at least \$10 worth of tickets -- and we are keeping track. If you haven't already done so, please pick up your tickets at the next guild meeting.

2016

Opportunity Quilt – Guild members turned in 23 of the first block in our fabulous quilt, the courthouse step variation, and took home another 34 kits of the next block, the classic churn dash, at the November meeting. Thank you! To keep the project on schedule, we'd love for these blocks to be returned completed at the December meeting – along with any scraps large enough to recycle into a later portion of the quilt (and with the Ziploc bag in which it came to recycle that as well). And if you can't make the meeting, feel free to send the block to Tina in the mail (her address is in the directory). We'll have kits to make two different blocks for the quilt -- one with appliquéd petals and another that's a checkerboard -- at the December meeting.

MEETING REPORTS

Minutes of the Executive Board Glendale Quilt Guild November 6, 2014

The meeting of the Glendale Quilt Guild Executive Board was called to order at 6:30 pm by President Bradfield at Glendale Women's Athletic Club.

PRESENT: President-Bradfield, Vice President-Shier, Recording Secy-Maples, Treasurer-Compean, Corresponding Secy-Bishop, Membership-Griffin/Meier, Program- Fogel/Curran/Edwards, Newsletter: Spinn, 2015 Show-Emmons/Nalley. Quorum: (9)
2016 Show Chairs-Wilson/Coleman, Advisor: Nalley EXTENDED BOARD: LOVING HANDS: Golditch
GUEST: Rasa Read

ABSENT: Parliamentarian: Millman; Workshops: Gray/Carlos

OFFICER & COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- RECORDING SECRETARY (Maples): There being no corrections, 10/2/14 Executive Board Minutes were approved as printed in the Newsletter.
- VICE PRESIDENT: (Shier) The SCCQG report on volunteers is on their website. Next SCCQG meeting is in January.
- TREASURER: (Bradfield for Compean). October Treasurer's Report (**Attachment A**). Budget Report was delivered post-meeting. (**Attachment B**).
- CORRESPONDING SECRETARY: (Bishop) Information to be included in Newsletter in *Sunshine and Shadows*.
- PARLIAMENTARIAN: (Millman) Absent, no report.
- PROGRAM: (Fogel) NOV: Cathy Hoover: "Accept the Challenge." We are sharing Cathy with Valley Quiltmakers. DEC: Potluck and Nestlé Choir. Program bookmarks were available for 2015. DEC: Holiday Party, Block Exchange, Entertainment: The Nestlé Choir.
- WORKSHOPS: (Fogel- Chairs absent) NOV: Cathie Hoover "The Best of Machine Techniques Sampler" (Reg= 3); DEC: None.
- MEMBERSHIP: (Meier) Renewals & New: 128 paid plus 16 unpaid = 144. Affiliates: 7; Rosters will be available for distribution at the membership meeting.
- NEWSLETTER: (Spinn) Deadline: November 17.
- 2015 SHOW: (Emmons/Nalley) We have Show Pins for \$3 until December meeting, then \$5. Ordered T-shirts will be at the membership meeting. Brochures will go out this month. Mini brochures are available for stores and guilds. Will take vouchers for quilt show workshops; however the voucher must be turned in to be considered fully paid. Still need a Workshop Coordinator.
- 2016 SHOW: (Wilson) Tina Curran will have more 2016 Opportunity Quilt block kits available at the next meeting.
- LOVING HANDS: (Golditch) Everyone is gearing up for the Nov 8 workshop (17 registered). Ten quilts were delivered today to Disney Cancer Center.
- BLOCK OF THE MONTH: (Maples). Oct: 4 attended. Next Rubber Duckie Club: Nov 22.
- EQUIPMENT/INVENTORY: (Nalley) Shredding is temporarily halted. Empty notebook binders are available for use.
- TRIPS: (Maples) The flyer for the Road to California bus trip was distributed to the board.

OLD BUSINESS:

- AUDIT COMMITTEE: (Bradfield) The committee is ready to begin its work for fiscal 2013-14.
- INSURANCE and BONDING: Tabled for further investigation
- 502(c)(3) Status and Bank Statement Reconciliation: Pending decisions on other issues and further research.

NEW BUSINESS, NOTES, and FOLLOW-UP:

- NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING: The next Board meeting will be Thursday, December 4 at GWAC at 6:30pm.
- QUILT.CON will be at the Pasadena Convention Center in 2016 three weeks before the GQG Show. The Board briefly discussed several alternative responses to this situation and agreed to schedule a Special Meeting of the Board to discuss only this issue so they could give the topic the attention it deserves.
- SPECIAL BOARD MEETING: Thursday, November 13 at GWAC at 6:30pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Nan Maples, Recording Secretary

MEETING REPORTS

Minutes of the General Membership Glendale Quilt Guild November 12, 2014

The November 12, 2014 meeting of the Glendale Quilt Guild General Membership was called to order by President Sandy Bradfield at 7:01 pm at the First Congregational Church in Glendale. A quorum was present. NEW MEMBERS: None GUESTS: Beverly Van Cleave

REPORTS:

- RECORDING SECRETARY (Maples): There being no corrections, the Minutes of the October 8, 2014 General Membership meeting were accepted as published in the Newsletter.
- PRESIDENT (Bradfield): The next Board meeting is December 4 at GWAC at 6:30pm.
- TREASURER (Compean): Treasurer's Report was presented. Detail is available at any Membership meeting.
- CORRESPONDING SECRETARY (Bishop): See *Sunshine* and *Shadows* in the Newsletter.
- PROGRAM: (Edwards) NOV: Cathie Hoover "Accept the Challenge!"; DEC: Holiday Party, Block Exchange, Entertainment: The Nestlé Choir.
- WORKSHOPS (Gray/Carlos): NOV 15: Cathie Hoover "Machine Techniques" produces a sampler to go into a notebook; DEC: None. Sign up for a monthly workshop NOW! **Quick, use a voucher! Vouchers expire at the end of 2015.**
- MEMBERSHIP (Griffin): Attendance: 70. Rosters were available for distribution.
- NEWSLETTER (Spinn): The next deadline is November 17.
- 2015 SHOW (Nalley): The next show meeting will be on November 18 at 6:30 pm at Citibank in Montrose. T-shirt pre-orders were available this evening. Show brochures are at the mailing house. Thank you, Tim! Show Pins are \$3 through December, then \$5. Vouchers will be accepted for show workshops, but the **VOUCHERS HAVE TO BE TURNED IN** to count for payment. Maria requested Boutique items and said that entry procedures would be available after the Holidays at the meeting and on the website.
- LOVING HANDS (Golditch) 27 quilts were received. Special thanks to Nancy Turney, Kathy Fogel, and Donna Ryan. Friday, Nov 12 is the second annual Loving Hands Holiday Party. See this Newsletter for further information. Loving Hands Weekend Edition quilts were displayed. Flyers were available for the January Weekend Edition at the Workshop table. LH is preparing a delivery for the Alzheimers study group and has contacted the Optomists to help support a children's celebration.
- WACy QUILTERS (Shier): Several items that had been donated to the WAC Yard Sale were made available for sale and auction. Proceeds to support the WACy Quilters' Scholarship contribution at WAC.
- BLOCK OF THE MONTH (Maples): The final workshop will be Saturday, Nov 22, 10AM-4PM at GWAC. There will be a quilt rack present for taking photos for show entries and a dedicated sandwiching table. Anyone who is working on this quilt but not attending workshops, please notify Nan so that we may have an accurate count for the Rubber Duckie presentation in January.
- HOSPITALITY: (Heine) Coordinator would like to thank Tim Spinn, Leah Bessey, and Donna Hovartos for handling Hospitality this month.
- LIBRARY: This position is vacant

The meeting was adjourned at 8:57pm.

Nan Maples, Recording Secretary

Show and Tell



CALENDAR OF EVENTS/MEMBER NEWS

21st ANNUAL WRIGHTWOOD HOLIDAY HOME TOUR AND BOUTIQUE

Saturday, Dec. 6, 2014 - 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
SPONSORED BY PINE NEEDLES QUILT GUILD

Ticket prices:

Advance: \$12.00 – available after Nov. 1
Day of tour: \$15.00 – available at boutique and homes

By mail, send SASE to:

Pine Needles Quilt Guild
P.O. Box 2800
Wrightwood, CA 92397-2800
760 249-4911

The Gilh Museum of Arcadia Heritage
is pleased to present:

Pins and Needles

Creations from the
Wandering Foot Quilt Guild of Arcadia
November 15 through January 3, 2015

380 W. Huntington Drive
Arcadia, CA 91007

10am-12 pm & 1pm -4pm

Tuesday – Saturday

626-574-5440

museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us

WACKy Quilters-Glendale Women's Athletic Club

A huge thank you to all the guild members who made donations to the parking lot sale and helped before and during the event. We had a wonderful turnout after the rain stopped. The Club treasurer estimates that the profit will be over \$2,500.00 once all of the expenses are paid. We especially want to thank Mary Ann Kroening's husband and son for all their help in setting up and moving the tables.

Also, during the event, Susan Edwards sold ceramic items that her husband made. She received nearly \$100.00 from the pottery sale which will go to the WAC scholarship fund on behalf of the quilting department. Thank you, Susan for your creative thinking and hard work. Finally, the WAC members are planning to purchase new tables for the Club House. If you are interested in purchasing one of the existing tables, please email Sharon Camping scamping@gmail.com.

If you are considering joining the WAC and would like to meet the members of the Club at a luncheon, please notify
Linda Emery @ lcemery@ca.rr.com.

Thank you, Sharon

Sunshine and Shadows

I'm happy to report that Esther Norbut had her other cataract removed and all went well. She and Don were out and about celebrating 58 years of newlywed bliss. Congratulations, Esther and Don!

Congratulations also go to Leah Bessey who had her quilt accepted in the Hoffman Challenge.

Among the quilts seen at Houston were ones by Scott Griffin, Carol Andrews and Mary Ann Hildebrand. We're very proud to say they are Glendale Quilt Guild members.

Please remember to let me know if you have any news, whether it be sunshine or shadow.

Enjoy the Holidays!

Sharon Bishop
Corresponding Secretary



MONDAY SEW-IN (MSI)

Join us on Mondays at the Women's Athletic Club of Glendale, 600 S. Verdugo Avenue, Glendale, CA 91205 from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Please note: on the 3rd Monday of the month the hours for Monday Sew will be 9:30am – 2:00pm so the ladies of the club can come in to decorate the tables for the monthly assembly luncheon the next day.

First Annual Angeles Crest Christian Camp "Mountain Quilt Retreat"

April 17 – 19, 2015. \$99.00 includes 3 days/2 nights lodging and meals (bring your own bedding). For more information call: (800) 289-8309. www.angelescrest.com. For All Who Love to Quilt! This will be an incredible weekend of relaxing and quilting while enjoying the company of friends, or making new ones. If you love to quilt, sew, or were thinking about learning, then come and enjoy the fellowship of other quilters in the heart of the San Gabriel mountains at Angeles Christian Camp.

Wouldn't this be a great way to unwind after the rigors of the quilt show? A weekend of sewing in a wooded, mountain environment, and no cooking required!!

See Sheryl Zurek for more information.

Workshop Review

I really enjoyed Hoover's "Retrospective Trunk Show - A truly moo-ving experience" at Wednesday's Guild meeting. She did a great job of presenting her show in a really humorous way. Her specialties include all types of machine appliqué, decorative machine embellishment, wearable art design, and a wide range of piecing and quilt construction techniques. I was very curious as to what I might be learning at the Saturday Workshop as I'm still a novice when it comes to most quilting techniques. Cathie handed us a book entitled "A Sampler of The Best of My Patchwork Techniques". She taught us some really cool ways to trim and embellish our quilts.

She taught us how to do Prairie Points: traditional nesting, Boy/Girl prairie points, lined prairie points, and piped prairie points. I learned how to make an origami fabric puff and made a star using reverse appliqué. I truly was amazed at the many things that I can now do to embellish my quilts and, of course, will continue to learn more at our Workshops.

Jackie Carlos

Member Perspective

Vacations! What can be more fun? How about a vacation with an unexpected textile exhibit?

Late this summer I visited my home town of Kaunas, Lithuania. One day a group of my friends and I visited Raudondvaris, a restored 17th century castle. The castle had many details that delight a quilter's eye. A doorframe could be interpreted in appliqué, or as a quilting design, and a tiled fireplace could be a very graphic quilt.

Quilt designs aside, we were curious about a Land Art Festival that took place on the castle's estate last year. The idea is to create artistic objects using materials native to the site, that would decompose and fade back into the environment without leaving a permanent trace. We saw sculptures made out of twigs and branches, some hanging in trees like chandeliers, and some composed right on the ground. Amazingly, most of them still looked good after a year in the open air.

The second exhibit, the delightful surprise, was called "Footprints in Time", by Laimutė Kozlovienė, a Lithuanian artist currently working in wool felt, crochet and embroidery. While she is considered an accomplished artist having participated in many group and solo exhibits and artwork in private collections, it was interesting to me to read her thoughts regarding public's perception of textiles as utilitarian objects and textile art's struggle to be taken seriously as art, not craft. We hear very similar discussions about quilts, don't we?



Rasa Read

Sign up for Workshops at the General Meeting or:

1. Contact the Workshop Co-Chairs *JACKIE CARLOS*: 818-246-9729 Jamocar78@gmail.com OR *ELLEN GRAY*: 818-437-9745 ellen.gray@disney.com
2. Sign up online 24-7 at www.bookwhen.com/GQGregister. There is no processing fee to sign up online. The supply list and photo are available for you to download.
*All monthly workshops take place from 9am - 4pm at GWAC.
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www.GlendaleQuiltGuild.org

Glendale Quilt Guild, Inc. is a non-profit corporation. The purpose is to contribute to the knowledge of, and to promote the appreciation of, fine quilts, quilt making and collection; to gain knowledge of quilt techniques, patterns, history & quilt makers through educational meetings, travel & friendship.

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

December Meeting: Social Time 6:00 - 6:30 P.M. Meeting begins at 6:30P.M.
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 E-mailing Tim Spinn: whirlwind_tim@yahoo.com

SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS THE MONDAY AFTER THE GENERAL MEETING.



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6:30 P.M., SOCIAL TIME 6:00 P.M.
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**You are invited to join us at our next meeting
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