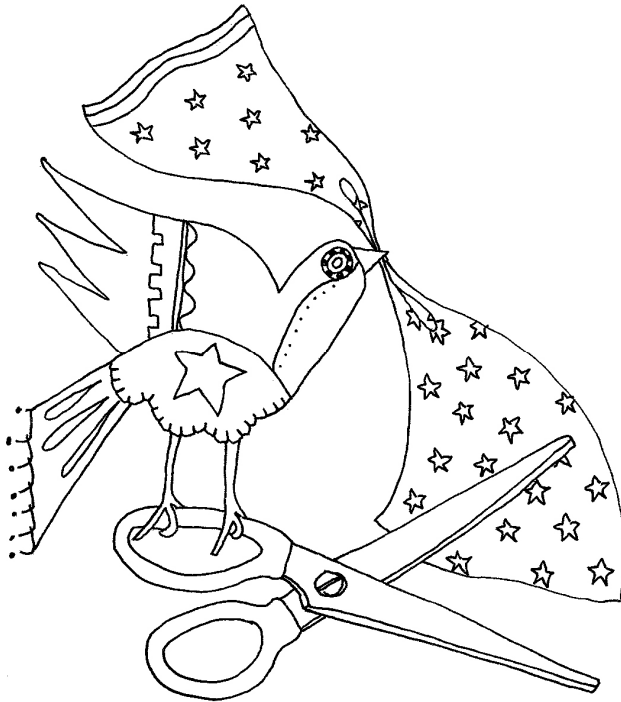




# Stitch 'n Times

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## President's Message



I was recently walking through the redwoods in the Avenue of the Giants up north when I looked skyward at the new bright green tips of the redwood branches against the bright blue of the sky and thought what a beautiful color combination to use in a quilt. I sometimes find myself looking at the sun streaming through railings and wondering how I can translate the pattern I see into a quilt. It seems that this hobby, this craft, this therapy, is always with me even though I have no fabric in hand. There is something about choosing the fabric, sewing the quilt, and seeing the final vision upon completion that fills the need to be creative.

This guild has so many creative members. You are an inspiration to me. I see so much dedication in all of you which makes this such a wonderful guild to belong to. It is this creative spirit and dedication that makes my job of being President so much easier. For this I thank you.

*Vicki David*

## Programs & Workshops

**MICHELLE PEERSON**

**PROGRAM THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 2014 ~ "OUTSIDE THE BOX"**

**WORKSHOP FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 2014 ~ "ART QUILTS — ROOSTERS"**



Our Program for June 19th will feature Michelle Peerson with her lecture "Outside the Box, Enhancing Your Creativity." Michelle teaches fun classes utilizing creativity and imagination, offering results and new skill sets.




The Workshop on June 20th, "Art Quilts," is the perfect beginner class for those who want to learn art quilting using raw edge appliqué. Choose your favorite rooster (Rooster of Brittany or Rooster of Cornwall). Class fee is \$40. Create your background prior to class according to instructions on your supply list and start working on your rooster right away in class (without having to bring your sewing machine). Patterns are available at Guild meetings for \$6 each. Visit Michelle's website:

[www.michellepeerson.com](http://www.michellepeerson.com)

**Several Openings are still available for this workshop!**



 Joanie Bellinghausen  
& Genelle Voorhees

## July Program

### HARRIET HARGRAVE

PROGRAM JULY 17~ "HARRIET'S FAVORITES - TRUNK SHOW WITH QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS"

WORKSHOP JULY 18~

"LEMOYNE STARS - BASIC EIGHT POINTED STARS"



Harriet Hargrave of Wheat Ridge, CO will be our July speaker. Harriet is a renowned teacher and author of *The Quilter's Academy* series of books and *Heirloom Machine Quilting*. She is known as the "Fairy Godmother of Ma-

chine Quilting."

The 45° LeMoyne stars are the foundation of so many wonderful block designs. Once you understand how they go together and work through the techniques to making them flat, square and accurate, you will find they become one of your favorite stars! You start the class learning how to draft the block, after which you will be making a 12" and a couple of 6" blocks using both templates and rotary cutting methods. Skill level: Intermediate beginners.



 Joanie Bellinghausen & Genelle Voorhees

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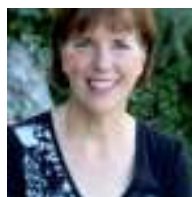
### LINDA TELLESBO

PROGRAM AUGUST 21~

"REACHING BEYOND FOUNDATION PIECING"

WORKSHOP AUGUST 22~

"CACTUS FLOWER TABLE RUNNER"



Linda Tellesbo is a Judy Niemeyer Quilting Certified Instructor originally from Washington's Skagit Valley. She became certified in 2010, and is currently certified to teach 77 of Judy Niemeyer's patterns!

Not only have her customer's quilts won awards, but Linda has had numerous quilts of her own win prestigious awards in almost every major quilt show event in the Pacific Northwest Region. These events include the Association of Pacific Northwest Quilter's Quiltfest, Quilters Anonymous, Block Party, and the Busy Bees shows. In 2010, she received the honor of being selected as the Featured Artist for the Quilter's Anonymous show! Congratulations, Linda! In 2008, her quilts were also showcased at the LaConner Quilt Museum, where she was the featured artist. Linda will have over 70 quilts in her trunk show!



In the workshop, you will learn the basics of Foundation Paper Piecing, including Judy Niemeyer's technique for curved piecing. The pattern, Cactus Flower Table Runner, includes papers to complete three table runners!!

 Joanie Bellinghausen & Genelle Voorhees

## Sew-A-Row

The third round of Sew-a-Rows was due at the last meeting (June 5th). We were able to distribute most of the packets to the people signed up for the fourth round. Remember, if you hand your packet to the next person, please let me know or note it on the duplicate sheet.

There are still some spaces for people to sign up to add their own border or row. Check them out at the Sew-a-Row station. Please note that you don't need to sign up on the packets, you can sign up on the duplicate sheets. Questions? Just see me.

 Debby Bainbridge

## Library News

The following is a list of the books that came into our possession since our last newsletter. For images of the covers and more detailed descriptions of the items, just click on LIBRARY on our website [www.santarosaquiltguild.org](http://www.santarosaquiltguild.org). Linda Hooper has written easy-to-understand directions about how to utilize the library site. To locate her instructions, click on the underlined "here" in the second paragraph at the top of the library page. Let me know if you would like guidance with the site and we'll sit down at the Library's laptop computer after a meeting. *A hint: if you are looking for an author, remember to type in the last name first, and if you are searching for a book title, type in the first "important" word leaving the a, an, and the's 'til the end.*

MINIMAL QUILTMaking by Gwen Marston (modern)

BACK-BASTING APPLIQUE STEP BY STEP BY HAND OR MACHINE by Barbara J. Eikmeier

APART AT THE SEAMS – A Cobbled Court Quilts Novel by Marie Bostwick (read in order)

PIECED HEXIES by Mickey Depre (English Paper Piecing taken to a new level)

CONTAIN IT! ENGLISH PAPER-PIECED STYLE ACCESSORIES by Linda Chaney and (her daughter) Laura Chaney Gerth (SRQG Member Linda Gilbert made the acquaintance of the mother at Britex in San Francisco and told me how delightful she is)

FAST FLYING GEESE QUILTS by Karin Hellaby

SEW SIMPLE ATTIC WINDOWS by Karin Hellaby (no mitered corners!)

SEW SIMPLE PINWHEELS by Karin Hellaby (easy straight and curved blades)

GO! SCRAPPING WITH ACCUQUILT (Even if you don't have an AccuQuilt cutter you can still be inspired by the ideas and patterns)

STACK, SHUFFLE, AND SLICE – a new technique for Stack the Deck Quilts by Karla Alexander

EL CAMINO REAL – Quilts Inspired by Early California History by Nancy and Oliver Rink

CAROLINA LILY – New Quilts from an Old Favorite – edited by Linda Baxter Lasco

ORANGE PEEL – New Quilts from an Old Favorite – edited by Linda Baxter Lasco

QUILTING DESIGNS FROM ANTIQUE QUILTS by Pepper Cory (from the Library of Dotty Zagar)

QUILTING 150 PATTERNS & TECHNIQUES FOR MACHINE STITCHING by Maggie Malone

Library News continued →

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APPLIQUE IN A DAY – Quilt in a Day series – by Eleanor Burns (donation)

10-MINUTE BLOCKS 2 by Suzanne McNeill (big, easy blocks with dimension) (Donation)

AN ENCYCLOPEDIA OF RIBBON EMBROIDERY FRUITS, VEGETABLES, & HERBS by Deanna Hall West (Donation)

THE QUILT DESIGN WORKBOOK by Beth and Jeffrey Gutcheon (Donated by Sandi McGuire)

DESIGNING WITH FABRIC INKS with Susan Tierney Cockburn and Joyce R. Becker by Tsukineko (a DVD) – donated by Jan "Ms. Sunshine" Westerman

Be sure to let me know if you find an item that our library needs!

And don't forget that we have magazine subscriptions to:

FONS AND PORTER'S LOVE OF QUILTING  
QUILTERS NEWSLETTER (all of the issues since the very beginning!)

MACHINE QUILTING UNLIMITED

QUILT LIFE (Alex Anderson and Ricky Tims)

QUILTING ARTS

AMERICAN QUILTER

QUILTMAKER

FABRIC TRENDS

Plus many past issues of:

MINIATURE QUILTS

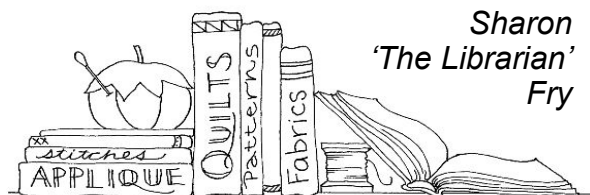
JAPANESE magazines

QUILTMANIA (European)

Wearing your nametag is a huge help to everyone. This is an excellent way for us to get to know each other.

Check out as many of our more than 2,985 books, DVDs, and CDs, plus magazines, as you wish ~ just remember to return them to the very next meeting, pretty please, as there are so many members in the guild who also wish to use the items.

Our library needs many, many volunteers. You do not need to formally sign-up to help – we'll take whatever time you can spare before or after any meeting. If you do not like the job you are given, don't be shy – let us know what you would rather do. I can never thank everyone enough for their assistance and support with making our library the best in the entire world!



Sharon  
'The Librarian'  
Fry



# Needle and Thread

Jim Jensen

## Linda Hooper

Linda Hooper started sewing when she was five years old. She was fascinated with the sewing machine that her mother never used, and when shown how it worked, started out making bean bags for herself and her sisters. It didn't take long for her to use her talents sewing her own clothes. Even though she didn't understand how they were made, Linda experienced an early love for quilts. Her first attempt at age 19 was a quilt made of a gauzy material. The results were disastrous; the quilt literally disintegrated.

When her kids were in kindergarten, the students were given an assignment to bring in a favorite piece of fabric from an old blanket or piece of clothing. The teacher asked the group if anybody knew of someone who might be able to make a quilt out of the pieces. Of course, her kids volunteered Linda! It was another disaster because she used satin for sashing and the whole thing ended up being a mass of wrinkles (but no doubt beloved by the beneficiary).

In 2003 she discovered that quilting classes were being offered at Village Sewing Center. Never one to approach any task half-heartedly, Linda showed up for her first class planning to make a "rails and fence" quilt from sparkly Asian fabric ... with four times the amount of fabric required for a queen size quilt. For her second project, she took a class in free motion quilting (FMQ). When told at the class that "you need 400 hours of practice" to be proficient with FMQ, she decided to make a king size quilt to practice on. The quilt was so large, she had to have everyone in the class help her with the basting. Well ... Linda entered that practice quilt at the Sonoma County Fair and won "Best of Class," the "Dory Whipple Award" for machine quilting, and "Best Use of Color" from the Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County. As an award winner, she was invited to SRQG Founder's Day for lunch ... she had never considered joining a guild, but was hooked at her first meeting in 2005.



Needle and Thread Continued →

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Amish quilts provided Linda with her first inspiration. She was drawn to the whole idea of the quilt: how it brings comfort; is a beautiful object of art; and with the use of bits of old clothing, becomes a memorial to family members long gone ... "quilting preserves our lives."

Linda enjoys all quilting methods, but piecing is her favorite. She's done some appliqué, but is not fond of fusing. She usually makes her own patterns rather than follow someone else's. Linda likes to let the fabric "tell" her what needs to be done with it. She wants the quilt to speak to her, and sometimes has used the seam ripper as much as the sewing machine. Linda always has 6 or more projects going on at a time, but ever one to finish what she starts, has only 4 or 5 UFO's and is committed to getting them done at some point.

She loves earth tones, gravitating particularly to red, green and gold. Every year she makes donation quilts; she has no problem giving the quilts away if they aren't in her favorite colors, but if they are, she ends up with "separation anxiety" and has to live with them for three or four weeks before she parts with them. So far she has kept 20 of the 40 or 50 quilts she has made over the years.

Like wine and good food can bring disparate people together, Linda appreciates the common bond of quilting that has brought us all together at the guild; people who might never otherwise have met or been friends. She loves all the noise and chatter during guild meetings, how we feed off and inspire each other and bounce ideas back and forth.

Starting out with hospitality in 2005, Linda was Vice President in 2007 and 2008, and President in 2009. Honorary Life Membership was bestowed in 2010. She has worked with Programs Elect and Programs; Linda has done wonders with our website, and is our videographer. Earlier this month she guided us through her second Mystery Quilt.

We're fortunate and grateful that Linda Hooper is so committed to the Santa Rosa Quilt Guild.

 Jim Jensen

## Makes SCENTS to me!


Many of our members suffer from allergies or sensitivities to perfumes and scented lotions, etc. We respectfully ask that you leave the scents at home on Guild meeting days.



## Sonoma County Fair

The Sonoma County Fair runs from July 24th to August 10th, and is closed on Mondays. Each day there are demonstrations of weaving, needlework and quilting. We will have two – three hour shifts per day with two people working each shift. We will be demonstrating either machine or hand quilting or piecing. Machines will be provided or you can bring your own. Baby quilt kits will be provided if you don't want to work on your own project. This is a fun way to meet new people and share our love of quilting with the public. The hall is beautifully filled with all manner of crafts with our quilts hanging from the rafters and walls. You will receive a free pass to the fair for each shift you work. I will have the sign-up sheets with me at all the meetings between now and the end of the fair.

Thank you

 Pam McVey

## An Invitation

The Mt. Tam Quilt Guild would like to extend an invitation to our meeting on Tuesday, July 8th at 6:30PM with our annual "Yard Sale and Ice Cream Social." Our members will have tables set up with patterns, fabrics, notions, books and all other kinds of quilting items for all to look at and buy. Last year we had 11 sellers and this year we already have a table reserved for a member who is bringing a variety of new fabrics including the new American-made brand from Clothworks. We are not charging a guest fee at this meeting as we usually charge a \$5.00 guest fee. In addition to the yard sale bargains, we are having our "Ice Cream Social." This includes ice cream and a variety of toppings at no charge! We ask that shoppers bring bills no larger than \$20.00. It's best to bring fives and ones for easier making change. It will held at Aldersgate Methodist Church 1 Welbrock Heights, San Rafael, Ca. 94903. (It is actually in Terra Linda up behind Kaiser Hospital).

Hope to see some of you there!

### stitch'n times advertising rates

Business Card	2.25" x 3.5"	\$10.00
1/4 page vertical	3.5" x 4.875"	\$25.00
1/4 page horizontal	4.875" x 3.5"	\$25.00
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1/2 page horizontal	7.5" x 4.75"	\$50.00
Full page	7.5" x 9.75"	\$100.00

Contact Newsletter Editor Jan Andrews

## Hospitality Notes


The Quiltathon was fantastic! It was filled with laughter, love and .....pizza. Thank you Pam Beebe and Anne Dondero for the opportunity to "work" for the community and have fun the whole time. And thank you Joey's Pizza for giving us a great discount on the good pizza. If you go to this pizza joint, thank them. This is the second year they have provided pizza for us.

And while I am at it, thank you ladies for hearing my call for napkins. We've got napkins! And thank you all for your donations to hospitality. The good food and drinks makes fun meetings even that much more pleasant.

 Carolle LeMonnier

## Boutique & Raffle

Thank you everyone who helped with the Boutique and Raffle during the past few meetings. You all did a great job. It was a nice surprise having 40 thread catchers returned, helping us have plenty for the quilt show. There are still lots in the closet yet to be sewn to replace what is hopefully sold. Numerous other items were brought in to sell or ideas to add to our inventory. That's always a great help. We've had extra days off this year with all the extra activities, giving the committee a nice reprieve. Again, thank you for your support and have a great summer.

 Betty Upchurch, Joni Passanisi-Poole  
Carol Jarvis & Chris Nolen

## A Note of Appreciation

Thank you so much for all the cards and expressions of concern the past month or more. As sad as it is to lose a younger brother, we got to enjoy an extra three years with him after suffering congestive heart failure. Modern technology is amazing but it can only do so much. Dwight is living proof of that. We now call him the 25/million dollar bionic man he has so much metal in him and still getting around pretty good, always with a good attitude. It amazes him how many ask about him at every meeting. He sometimes accuses me of making it up. All the cards received recently and in the past prove what a caring wonderful group of friends we ALL have in the SRQG.

We are both grateful to be a part of such a wonderful organization, as Dwight isn't a member. Thank you all for making it so.

 Betty Upchurch

## Focus on Affiliates

### Barbara Youngblood Heart Made Quilts

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild's meeting on Thursday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014 featured Affiliate Barbara Youngblood of 'Heart Made Quilts'. Barbara took the stage for 15 minutes and shared with us the business of quilting with her Gammill longarm. Barbara began quilting in 1976. She started her business in 2002 and introduced the Longarm in 2009. She notes that she has nine grandchildren - which is a prompt she uses to remind herself when she began quilting with the longarm. She said her quilts are sturdy, attractive, and inexpensive, referring to herself as "The Grandma Quilter". While on stage, she showed dozens of work sample patterns approximately the size of a placemat. Each one featured one of her many patterns, complete with back and batting. Barbara carries batting for her customers and sells it for a better price than many fabric stores. Barbara also displayed many of the quilts she has worked on over the years, delighting the group with each show-and-tell featuring her quilting. They were lovely and it was wonderful to see her heart-made work. Thank you, Barbara, for using your affiliate benefit to make a great presentation acquainting the guild with your business.

### Diane Bare The Treasured Thread

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild is proud to announce that Affiliate Diane Bare, owner operator of 'The Treasured Thread', will be presenting her longarm quilting business Thursday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014 at the guild business meeting.

Diane began sewing at the age of 7 years and has loved sewing ever since. In college she majored in Interior Design. Her sewing skills and creativity naturally fit this degree. Currently, Diane works full-time in San Francisco spending 15 hours a week commuting to and fro. She longs to be home and self-employed - thus began her longarm business two and a half years ago. She noticed as she went from quilt shop to quilt shop inquiring about the business of quilting how kind, friendly, and caring quilters are. She observed that they share information willingly and generously, noting that quilters are great people.

Her quilts have been shown as far away as Sisters, Oregon and as close as the Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County's 'Wine Country Quilt Show.' She stocks batting for customer convenience and has an array of treasured threads. Diane primarily quilts with patterns but does some custom work from block to block on occasion. Her turn-around time is two weeks but has finished quilts in as little as one day. Diane also has a 6 needle embroidery machine to make custom labels. I think this makes 'The Treasured Thread' a cut above.

Diane will have quilting patterns and work samples available for viewing on July 3<sup>rd</sup>. You won't want to miss this affiliate presentation. Let's welcome Diane Bare of 'The Treasured Thread' with open arms when she takes the dais on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.



Rhonda Denny

May 2014

## Block of the Month

For June we are taking a bit of a break from our adventure in paper piecing.

"Patriot Heart" is an easily pieced 12" block consisting of half square triangles, squares and rectangles in red, white and blue.

Blocks are appropriately due July 3<sup>rd</sup>, and all the blocks will be given to Lavella Cassinelli in support of her group that makes quilts for hospitalized veterans. We look forward to a great response for the June block of the month; they will all be used for a very worthy cause.



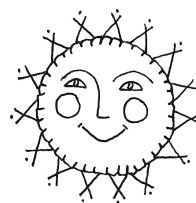
Jim Jensen & Marlene Sullivan

## Block of the Month



## June - Patriot Heart

## Sunshine



Knowing that someone cares can really make a person's day brighter. Please contact me by phone or email if you know someone who could use a card from the SRQG.

Happy Sewing,  
Jan Westerman (Ms. Sunshine)

## Change of Information?

**Don't forget to notify Team J-Rho  
At the Membership Table!**

[www.srqg.org](http://www.srqg.org)




## Community Quilts

Lots of members have been involved in the Community Quilts project this year. As of this writing, our guild has donated 230 baby quilts and 254 larger quilts in 2014.



If you would like to make quilts on your own during the next few months, we especially need baby (NICU) quilts as well as 40" x 60" quilts for toddlers, teenagers, and adults.

Please refer to the size chart below for more details. Many thanks to all who participate in this important outreach project!

 Pam Beebe & Anne Dondero

## Pointless Sisters

An interest group and project of the Santa Rosa Quilt Guild, the Pointless Sisters Art Quilt Group shares their work, discusses new trends in art quilting techniques, provides education programs and sponsors group challenges. We create an encouraging, non-competitive space for members to hone their skills while exploring their own individual journey of artistic development. Our next challenge, *Holes*, is due in July.

For our June 24 program, Cathy Zeleny will present "The Business of Marketing Art: Quilts and Artist Statements". This follows our May program when we discussed preparing quilts for exhibits: sleeves, slats and labels. We meet on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at the Luther Burbank Art and Garden Center on Yulupa. Coffee from 9:30 – 10, meeting from 10 – noon followed by lunch and a monthly program.

 Carroll Hirsch

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# Affiliate Members

## BROADWAY QUILTS

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## HEARTMADE QUILTS

Longarm Quilting  
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## For the Record

The minutes of our meetings can be found archived on the blog on our website. Please review them and report any corrections to Jan Andrews or Vicki David.

## IT'S FROM GRANDMA

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## LAVENDER HILL QUILTS

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Teresa Breazeale, Owner  
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hours

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[john@villagesewing.com](mailto:john@villagesewing.com)  
<http://www.villagesewing.com/>

## Board Meeting

Thursday, June 26, 2014

10:00 a.m.

Scottish Rite Family Room  
All Members Are Welcome



## Opportunity Quilt

Our Opportunity Quilt is alive and well, and roaming the Northern California guilds. We are pleased to announce the following guilds have accepted us for the unveiling and display of our quilt as follows:

- June 14<sup>th</sup> Napa Guild
- July 1<sup>st</sup> Petaluma Guild
- July 17<sup>th</sup> Carquinez Guild in Benicia
- Nov 5<sup>th</sup> Moonlight Quilters of So. Co.
- Feb 7<sup>th</sup> Vallejo Guild
- Mar 18<sup>th</sup> Diablo Valley Guild (Concord)

We are also anticipating a stint in SF at their guild and another Contra Costa guild. In addition, to these scheduled visits we will be selling tickets and entering our Opportunity Quilt at the Sonoma County Fair starting July 24<sup>th</sup>. **Pam McVey** will be directing this production.

In September **Glenda Ross** will be orchestrating the Home Show between the 19<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> of the month.

In November we will be present at Broadway Quilts in Sonoma to display our quilt in honor of SHOP HOP weekend. Please kindly be open to volunteering at these upcoming events.

A round of applause please for Dianne Cheli, Pat Kearns and Glenda Ross, for signing up for road trips to the various guilds. I look forward to sharing our successes with all of you. I was hoping we could have gone to the Honolulu Guild to share but Vicki thought it would exceed our budget! Darn! Happy Volunteering to all, and remember - VOLUNTEERS ROCK.



 Lynette Whitman

## 10 DAY QUILT n' CRUISE to the SEA OF CORTEZ ROUNDTrip SAN FRANCISCO TO MEXICO JANUARY 28 – FEBRUARY 7, 2015 Onboard Princess Cruises "Star Princess"

### INSTRUCTORS

- Anelie Belden Split Blade Dresden & Fiesta Aplicado
- Sue Rasmussen Curvey Flying Geese & Machine Quilting-all levels
- Julie Curry Talavera Tiles & Crazy Scraps

### Cruise pricing starts at \$1099

Prices are per person based on double occupancy.  
 Single, Suite and 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> person rates available upon request.

**REDUCED CRUISE DEPOSIT FROM 5/9 TO 5/24/2014**  
**\$100.00 Per Person**

#### 15 DAY CRUISE PRICE INCLUDES:

- Group Staterooms in preferred locations at discounted rates subject to availability
- Dining Options
- Daily Activities
- Evening Entertainment

#### QUILTING CLASS FEE: \$375.00

- 4 - Six Hour Classes
- Choice of 1 or 2 Quilting Teachers
- Janome Sewing Machines Provided by Ray's Sewing Center
- Sewing Machine Training & Technical Support onboard
- Open Sewing in Evenings (bring and finish UFO's?)
- Mini Workshop Presentation
- Special Activities & Gifts
- Welcome Reception
- Personal Cruise Manager Onboard

#### FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

- Non Quilters Welcome
- Customized Port Shop Hops & Excursions Available
- No Luggage Restrictions

#### Passengers Comments about our 2014 Cruise

*Many thanks for your help, preparation, fabric, smiles and laughter. I have memories for a lifetime. -Grace*  
*I appreciate how you treated each of us so special. -Justine*  
*I want to thank you for the best time of my life! -Donna*



#### ITINERARY

- Jan 28 San Francisco, CA
- Jan 29 At Sea
- Jan 30 At Sea
- Jan 31 Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
- Feb 1 Loreto, Mexico
- Feb 2 La Paz, Mexico
- Feb 3 Puerto Vallarta, Mexico
- Feb 4 At Sea
- Feb 5 At Sea
- Feb 6 At Sea



#### For more information contact:

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# 2014 Executive Board & Committees

## 2014 ELECTED BOARD

President  
Vice President  
Treasurer  
Recording Secretary  
Program Chairs

Vicki David  
Jim Jensen  
Helen Smith  
Jan Andrews  
Joanie Bellinghausen  
& Genelle Voorhees  
Phyllis Galloway & Gari Jones  
Joy McGoran  
Jenine Giblin

Historian\*  
Hospitality\*

Library\*  
MQSC Liaison \*  
Membership\*

Newsletter Editor & Circulation\*  
Newsletter Proofreading  
Nominating  
Opportunity Quilt Tickets\*  
Sew-A-Row\*  
Sunshine\*  
TSW (Tech. Sharing) \*  
Videography  
Website\*  
Past President\*  
\* Standing Committees

Sharon Fry  
Carolle LeMonnier  
Judy Lindberg  
Edie Sorensen  
Georgiann Morrissey  
Sharon Fry  
Joy Lee  
Rhonda Denny, Jan Westerman  
& Jan Andrews  
Jan Andrews  
Diana Roberts  
Jenine Giblin  
Lynette Whitman  
Debby Bainbridge  
Jan Westerman  
Gari Jones  
Linda Hooper  
Jim Jensen  
Chris Nolen

Program Chairs Elect  
Corresponding Secretary  
Parliamentarian

## 2014 COMMITTEES

Block of the Month\*  
Boutique\*

Jim Jensen & Marlene Sullivan  
Betty Upchurch, Joni Poole  
& Carol Jarvis  
Mirna Estes  
Pam Beebe & Anne Dondero  
Pam McVey  
Wendy Mouille  
Helen Smith  
Phyllis Galloway

Community Outreach\*  
Community Quilts\*  
Fair Liaison  
Field Trips  
Finance  
Friendship Blocks \*

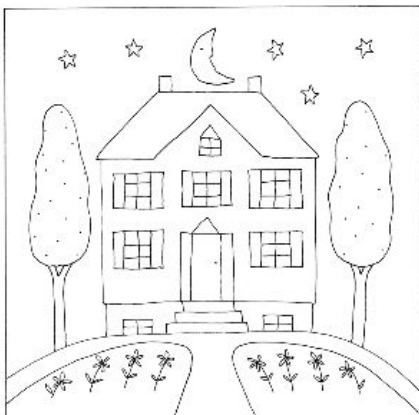
# Remember!

- NAME TAG • SHOW AND TELL • COFFEE MUG •
- LIBRARY BOOKS • LUNCH • NO PETS • NO FRAGRANCES •
- REUSABLE PLATE & FORK • CELL PHONE ON SILENT •

## SRQG 2014 Calendar

### JUNE

- 19**      **Program Meeting**  
Michelle Peerson ~ "Outside the Box"  
TSW: Sharon Fry ~ "Block in a Block"
- 20**      **Workshop**  
Michelle Peerson ~ "Art Quilts - Roosters"  
Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center  
2050 Yulupa, Santa Rosa  
9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
8:30 a.m. for set-up
- 24**      **Pointless Sisters**
- 26**      **Board Meeting**



### JULY

- 3**      **Business Meeting**  
TSW: Diana Roberts ~ "Ribbon Leaf"  
Affiliate Presentation : Diane Bare--  
The Treasured Thread
- 17**      **Program Meeting**  
Harriet Hargrave ~ "Harriet's Favorites--  
Trunk Show"  
TSW: Leslie Ary ~ "Transformation Technique"
- 18**      **Workshop**  
Harriet Hargrave ~ "Lemoyne Star"  
Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center  
2050 Yulupa, Santa Rosa  
9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- 22**      **Pointless Sisters**

**No Board Meeting in July**  
**VACATION!**





# Quilt Shows and Places To Go

July 12 - 13, 2014

## **Legacies of Love**

Piecemakers Quilt Guild of So. Alameda Co.  
Ohlone Community College, Newark Campus  
39399 Cherry, Newark, CA  
Friday, Saturday 10 am - 5 pm  
Sunday 10 am - 4 pm  
<http://www.piecemakersguild.org/#!2014-quilt-show/>

August 9 - 10, 2014

## **Quilts for All Seasons**

Ridge Quilters' Guild  
Paradise Intermediate School  
Paradise, CA  
Friday, Saturday 10 am - 5 pm  
Sunday 10 am - 4 pm  
<http://ridgequiltersguild.org/32301.html>

August 2 - 3, 2014

## **The Quilts of Lake Almanor**

The Chester Piecemakers  
Chester Jr./Sr. High School  
612 First Street, Chester, CA  
Friday, Saturday 10 am - 5 pm  
Sunday 10 am - 4 pm

September 5 - 7, 2014

## **2014 Gold Bug Quilters Quilt Show**

Gold Bug Quilters of El Dorado County  
Cameron Park Community Center  
2502 Country Club Dr. Cameron Park, CA  
Friday, Saturday 10 am - 5 pm  
Sunday 10 am - 4 pm  
<http://www.goldbugquilters.org/Events/2014%>

## Local Quilt Guilds

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA QUILT COUNCIL**

<http://www.ncqc.net/>

Carquinez Straight Stitchers (Benicia)  
<http://www.cssquilter.org/>

Diablo Valley Quilters (Danville)  
<http://www.diablovalleyquilters.org/>

East Bay Heritage Quilters (Albany)  
<http://ebhq.org/>

Guild of Quilters of Contra Costa County  
<http://www.contracostaquiltguild.org/>

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild (Kelseyville)  
<http://www.llqg.org/>

Mendocino Quilt Artists Guild (Ukiah)  
<http://www.mendocinoquiltartists.com/>

Monterey Peninsula Quilters Guild  
<http://www.mpqg.org/>

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
<http://www.mqsc.org/>

Mt. Tam Quilt Guild (Marin County)  
<http://www.mtqg.org/>

Napa Valley Quilters Guild  
<http://www.napavalleyquilters.org/>

North Wind Quilters Guild (Fairfield)  
<http://www.northwindquiltersguild.com/>

Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild (Gualala)  
<http://www.pacificpiecemakers.org/>

Pajaro Valley Quilt Association (Aptos)  
<http://www.pvqa.org/site/index.php>

Peninsula Quilters Guild (Redwood City)  
<http://www.peninsulaquilters.org/new/home.php>

### **Petaluma Quilt Guild**

<http://www.petalumaquiltguild.org/>

Piecemakers Quilt Guild of So. Alameda Co.  
(Fremont)  
<http://www.piecemakersguild.org/>

San Francisco Quilters Guild  
<http://www.sfquiltersguild.org/>

Santa Clara Valley Quilt Association  
(Campbell)  
<http://www.scvqa.org/>

Sonoma Quilters United in Loose Threads  
<http://sonomaquilt.webs.com/>

Vallejo Piecemakers (Vallejo)  
<http://www.vallejopiecemakersquiltingclub.org/>