



The Village Quilter

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April Birthdays

- 2 – Deb Raver
- 5 – Penny Ann St. James
- 10 – Trudy Badovinac
- 18 – Julie Murray
- 25 – Donna Fox
- 26 – Dixie Johns
- 30 – Connie Folstad

Message from the President

Thank you to all who participated in filling out our FY24-25 Questionnaire. Good ideas were given to improve our general meetings, speakers and field trips. I look forward to sharing the results at our April meeting to be held Thursday, April 3rd at 6:00 pm.

Please expect a phone call from our Nominating Chair Charlotte Seidman. She has been busy trying to fill open positions for next fiscal year. It takes everyone to help our guild operate. Please be part of our team!

The San Diego Fair is around the corner. You should have received an email outlining the entry process. Entries are due no later than April 30th at 8pm. Please let me know if you have any questions.

May your bobbins always be full!

Becky Forbes

FQG President



Message from 1st VP

I am addicted toquilting, food, quilting, food, pickleball, food, quilting and now my new addiction isYouTube. This is very good AND very bad, why you ask? Because it cuts into the hours I spend with my other addictions. The good news is that it can be so helpful that I almost don't call anyone to fix my problems because YouTube has all the answers. A few months ago, I dropped an expensive ruler and guess what?? I found a wonderful, money saving way to fix it. The problem lies in not just stopping there but continuing onto other things that can be fixed with that product.

So here is a fun YouTube finding..... I found an episode of ***The Quilt Show*** with Alex Anderson and Ricky Tims and it was six scrap quilters they had on their show in the past. Bonnie Hunter, the "Queen of Scraps", Edyta Sitar of Laundry Basket quilts, and Diane Harris, the "Stash Bandit", to name a few. I happened to make one of Diane's at my last quilt retreat and, just for fun, I sent her a picture and she replied, thanking me for sharing it with her.

Wow did we have a good time with Kristie Naranjo and the Scrappy Applique workshop. Not only was Kristie an amazing teacher, so very thorough, but very fun and I think she enjoyed us too! (She said we were her new favorite group, all 15 of us). Thanks Kristie!!

Next month, April 3, we have our own Ann Turley, the "Cereal Quilter", who will be presenting her program at our first of the year EVENING MEETING, so be sure to make that change on your calendar. If you come early, like 1 pm, just stay in town for some shopping at the cottage, 20% off on meeting days, then a little dinner and you will be ready for Ann. She will also be hosting/teaching our Saturday workshop by stepping into the wide world of piecing, not her usual technique of choice. The guild will be providing ALL the fabric, fun, and the quilts we make will be given to our Quilts of Love program. Just your quilting supplies, neutral thread and maybe your lunch.

May 1 Meeting... Shelley Swanland, a well-known local quilter, will be our speaker and then on Saturday she will teach us her Plant Impressions Workshop. Please stop by the program table to see what she has in store for us with this new idea.

Got to run as Jona and I are off to another quilt show in Henderson, Nevada. (We will give a report next month).

Penny Bottomly

1st Vice President

Message from Membership

March 6, 2025 Membership Report

1. Meeting attendance 46 people
 - 39 members
 - 2 guests- used passes
 - 1 guest - signed the guest list, but did not check in with me.
 - 0 speaker
2. As of 3/6/2025 we have 80 memberships.
4. Airtable:
 - 39 members have joined Airtable or 49% of the membership

Submitted by

Ardis Duhachek

Membership

**Fallbrook Quilt Guild
YEAR AT A GLANCE**

Year	Month	General Meeting (1st Thursday @ Community Center)			Workshop (Saturday Following General Meeting @ FPUD)			Executive Board Meeting (2nd Wednesday @ FRHD)		
		Date	Time	What	Date	Time	What	Date	Time	What
2024	July	11-Jul	1pm	Event Honoring Veterans @ FRHD	13-Jul		No workshop this July	9-Jul	1pm	Meeting
	August	1-Aug	6pm	Tina Curran	3-Aug	9am	Tina Curran, Herringbone-Anza	7-Aug	1pm	Meeting
	September	5-Sep	6pm	Bag Lady Skit & Penny to talk on- Canine Companions	7-Sep	9am	Temre Marciano, Poppins Bag	11-Sep	1pm	Meeting
	October	3-Oct	1pm	Karen Brow-Meyer	5-Oct	9am	Karen Brow-Meyer, Fancy Feathers & Frogs	9-Oct	1pm	Meeting
	November	7-Nov	1pm	Linda Sullivan, Colourwerk	9-Nov	9am	Linda Sullivan, Machine Applique- Shannon Brinkley's method	13-Nov	1pm	Meeting
	December	5-Dec	1pm	Potluck	---		No workshop in December	---		No board meeting in December
2025	January	DARK		No general meeting in January	4-Jan	9am	Quilts of Love	15-Jan	1pm	Meeting
	February	6-Feb	1pm	Kristie Naranjo	---	---	---	12-Feb	1pm	Meeting
	March	6-Mar	1pm	Tips & Tricks	1-Mar	9am	Design & Construct	12-Mar	1pm	Meeting
					15-Mar	9am	Kristie Naranjo, Scrappy Applique			
	April	3-Apr	6pm	Ann Turley	5-Apr	9am	Quilts of Love FREE	9-Apr	1pm	Meeting (at Fallbrook Winery)
	May	1-May	6pm	Election, Shelley Swanland	3-May	9am	Shelley Swanland, Plant Prints on Fabrics (at Penny Bottomly's home)	7-May	1pm	Meeting
	June	5-Jun	6pm	Potluck, Installation, Opportunity Quilt Drawing	7-Jun	9am	Turnover meeting	11-Jun	1pm	Meeting

Upcoming Events

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JOSE ORNELAS



ROBERT GREEN



JAMES ATCHISON

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- Notions

☀️ **Don't miss these great deals** ☀️

Saturday, April 26, 2025, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Carlton Hills Lutheran Church
9735 Halberns Blvd, Santee, CA 92071
(This sale is not part of church activities)



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