The Village Quilter FQG January 2009

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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HADDY HEALTHY NEW YEAR!

With 2008 fast closing I would say we had a very successful six months. The speakers were enlightening and the classes very informative and well attended. January brings Zena Thorpe "A Look at History Through the Eye of a Needle" and workshop "Floral Initial".

Also in January we look forward to "Road to California", January 15th - 18th. The Quilters Cottage will have a bus trip Saturday, January 17th. See Quilter's Cottage for details and reservations.

I found the following in a quilt newsletter and thought you would enjoy it.

TOP TEN REASONS FOR BUYING FABRIC

- 1. It keeps without refrigeration and you don't have to cook it to enjoy it.
- 2. Because it's on sale.
- 3. It's less expensive and more fun than psychiatric care.
- 4. It helps keep the economy going. It's our patriot duty to support cotton farmers, textile mills and fabric stores.
- 5. It insulates the closet where it is kept.
- 6. You never have to feed it, change it, wipe its nose or walk it.
- 7. It provides extra weight in the trunk of the car on snowy, icy roads. This is important even in Southern CA when you never know when the weather will change.
- 8. Because you are worth it.
- 9. It's not immoral, illegal or fattening.
- 10. Like dust, it's good for protecting previously empty spaces in the house like the ironing board, the laundry hamper or the dining room table.

Thank you, Hospitality Committee Chairperson, Anita Bruce and her committee and Elvia for the lovely potluck evening. The table decorations were outstanding and the singing by the Madrigals thoroughly enjoyable.

Again, no matter where you are or go, have a GREAT HOLIDAY! Stay Safe and Healthy. Gigi Sartor, President

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	Guests 4	

Quilt Guilds

Calendar of Events - 2009:

January 10 SCCQG Council Meeting NOTE DATE CHANGE - Program on Teachers and Guilds hosted by San Fernando Valley Quilt Assoc. Meeting location: First Lutheran Church of Northridge, 18355 Roscoe Bl, Northridge, 91326

Email Contact: margli@socal.rr.com

January 10 Village Quiltes Shelley Swanland "Catheral Windows and More" trunk show and lecture.

Email Contact: aakeskey@cox.net Website: scrippsvillagequilters.com

January 11 Village Quilters Shelley Swanland workshop "Machine Stitched Cathedral Windows: Exploring the Basics". Work through the entire process while creating a small wall hanging. Email Contact: aakeskey@cox.net Website: scrippsvillagequilters.com

January 12 Flying Geese Quilters Guild Guest Speaker: Katie Pasquini Masopust "Quilts and Quilt Trips"

Website: www.flyinggeese.net

January 17 The Traveling Quilters Lynn is offering a bus trip from the Victorville/ Wrightwood area to Road to California. Come with us – no driving or parking to worry about. There will be plenty of time

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WALL HANGING

The embroidered and quilted wall hanging for December's Monthly drawing was donated by Betty Hall. The lucky winner was Mary Steckler.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH DRAWING

The 2 winners of the "Christmas Wreath" were Jan Gates and Anita Bruce. I also had three consolation prize winners for the pincushions, and they were Linda Palmer, Jo Ann Rego, and Pam Parkman. Thank you everyone for turning in your blocks, and have a Happy Holiday. Ursula and Hildegard.

Editor Request

Please submit all information for our newsletter either by email or at the next membership meeting, January 8 or email Jan Steffen at janicesteffen@roadrunner.com This newsletter is produced by Adobe's PageMaker and saved to a PDF format.

Invitation to new and not-so-new members: If you want to learn more about our guild, share and work on independent projects with a small group of members, consider coming to Fallbrook Public Utilities District building meeting room the first and third Monday mornings of each month. This large space is available from 9:30 to noon with plenty of room to spread out projects and work. The address is 990 E. Mission (corner of Santa Margarita). Have you wanted to connect with a small group of quilters meeting in the evening or Saturday? Plans are being made to get a new group started so please contact Ann Harris ASAP (address below). Eight members have already expressed interest so we want to get this going soon don't miss out! Ann Harris 760-731-2226 or angus 2620@gmail.com for further information.

and Machine Quilters! Members Only!

The guild would like to list in the newsletter ONE TIME only the names and phone numbers of our long arm and machine quilters.

Email your name and phone # to Jan Steffen - janicesteffen@roadrunner.com
The list will be in the January or February newsletter.

BOARD MEETINGS			
January 5th	10:00 AM FPUD		
February 2nd	10:00 AM FPUD		
March 3rd	10:00 AM FPUD		
March 30	10:00 AM (Gigi's		
	House)		
May 4th	10:00 AM FPUD		
June 1st	10:00 AM FPUD		

NEW MEMBERS!!!

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JANUARY'S MONTHLY MEETING & WORKSHOP

January Meeting and Workshops

The Guild meeting on <u>January 8th</u> will feature a lecture and quilt show by **Zena Thorpe**, award willing Quilt Appliqué Artist. Ms. Thorpe will speak on "A Look at History Through An Eye of a Needle". She will share her perceptions on how women through the centuries have documented history in their needlework. She will share many prizewinning quilts.

In January and February the Guild will sponsor two distinct workshops. The Saturday workshops will focus on specific quilting techniques; The Monday workshops will cover the fundamentals of artistic design. If you can, plan to attend both workshops. Details are listed below.

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>January 10th</u>, <u>Zena Thorpe</u> will teach her embellished appliqué technique. Participants will receive a pattern and instructions for making a small wall hanging in hand appliqué with the embellished letters "LOVE". The class covers many appliqué techniques. Fee is \$30.00.

Supply List:

- Unlined paper and pencils
- Four 12" X 12" squares of background fabric; your color choice
- One fat quarter of strong contrasting color for letters
- Lots of varied scraps of all colors
- Sewing threads of your choice (silk or cotton)
- Embroidery threads
- Hand sewing supplies including small embroider scissors.

Monday, January 12th, Margaret Harwood will be presenting Session 1 of a two session workshop "Putting the Art into Art Quilts". This workshop will cover: How artists get ideas for their work. The process artists use to create art quilts. The basics of composition; why some quilts sing and others go flat. How emotion is expressed in color and shapes. Each student will design an original quilt pattern to take home and make a small quilt. In February, students will return to Session 2 with a their originally designed quilts. The fee for both session is \$30.

Supply List:

- 30 sheets of plain white paper 8 ½ X 11 (cheap computer paper is good.
- Pencils, ruler, box of color crayons (at least 16 colors)
- Magazine with color pictures (home décor or gardening are good)
- Glue stick, pack of plain 3 X 5 index cards, scissors, tracing paper, notebook

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COMING EVENTSSO YOU CAN PLAN AHEAD!

February 5 th	FQG Meeting	Head for the Border	<u>Lynn Mann</u>
February 7 th	<u>Workshop</u>	Christmas Ivy Quilt	<u>Lynn Mann</u>
February 9 th	<u>Workshop</u>	Putting the Art into Art Quilts – Session 2	Margaret Harwood
March 5 th	FQG Meeting	Beyond Tradition	Peggy Martin
March7th	<u>Workshop</u>	Serendipity	Peggy Martin
April2nd	FQG Meeting Discovering	g the Artist Within Through Quilts & Wearable	<u> Art Melinda Bula</u>
April4th	<u>Workshop</u>	Fabulous Fusible Flowers	<u>Melinda Bula</u>
May 7 th	FQG Meeting	A Painters Path to Quilting!	<u>Patt Blair</u>
May 9 th	<u>Workshop</u>	Painting on Fabrics with Inks	<u>Patt Blair</u>

Fee for Fallbrook Guild Members for Workshops is: \$30. Call Elvia Dawson to reserve your spot (951) 694-8023. The fee is due when you make your reservation to attend and can only be refunded if a replacement is found.

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for all those lovely quilts and all those great vendors. We'll have two departure points for you: Victorville (Andrea's Quiltin' Quarters) or the 15/138 Shell Station in Cajon Pass. Email Contact: lynn@travelingquilters.com Website: www,travelingquilters.com

January 17 The Traveling Quilters Ruth is offering a bus trip from the San Diego area to our January favorite . . . Road to California. You'll have plenty of time at the show to visit all the vendors and view all the wonderful quilts. There will be three departure points for your convenience: 1) the trolley parking lot off Amaya and Amaya Court in La Mesa, 2) the Park and Ride at Via Rancho Parkway and I-15 in Escondido and 3) the boat ramp parking lot near the Clairemont Dr exit off I-5. This trip is filling quickly.

Email Contact: ruth@travelingquilters.com

Website: www.travelingquilters.com

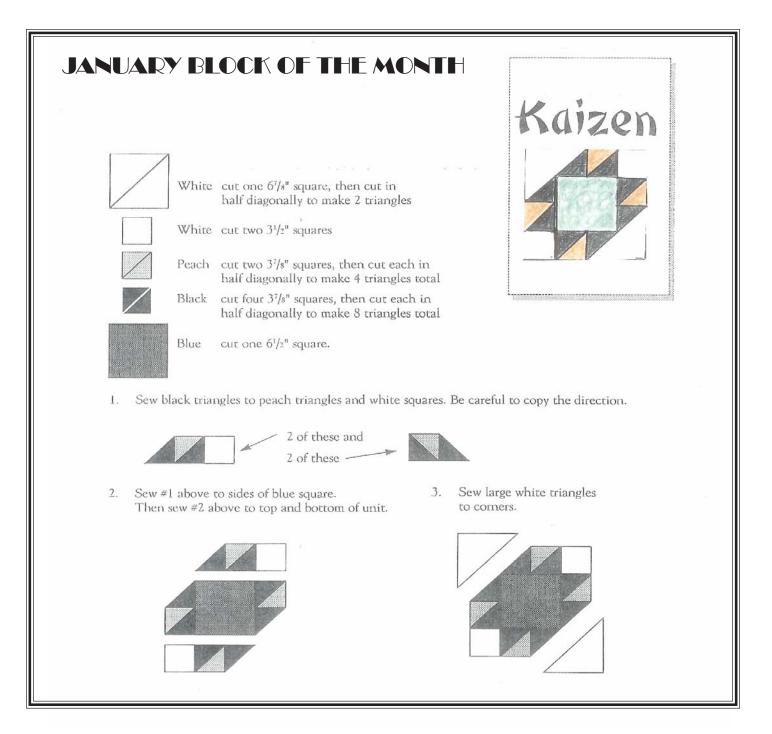
February 13 - 14 Valley Quilters (Hemet) 29th Annual Quilt Show, Valley Wide Recreation Center 901 Esplanade Ave., San Jacinto, CA. Featuring over 100 quality quilts, consignment shop, boutique, quilt appraiser, venders, & featured quilter. 10 am - 4 pm. Admission \$6. Info: 951-927-9739

Email Contact: sewbetty3@roadrunner.com

February 21 - 22 South Bay Quilters Guild Annual Quilt Show at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3341 Civic Center Drive, Torrance. Saturday, 10 to 5; Sunday, 10 to 4. Small Quilt Auction, Sunday, 1 pm. Quilters Marketplace, Merchant Mall, Quilters Cafe. Over 150 quilts on display; Community service exhibit.

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Email C o n t a c t : quiltshow@southbayquiltersguild.org
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February 26 - March 1 The Traveling Quilters Our Temecula Quilt-Away Retreats are always fun and productive weekends. It's a great opportunity to finish projects or start something new. We usually have anywhere

from 30 to 45 people at the retreat so it's always fun to see what people are working on. Each person has half an 8-ft table for sewing space in our large, well-lit classroom. Once again we'll be staying at the Vina de Lestonnac Retreat Center in the Temecula wine region.

Email Contact: pam@travelingquilters.com Website: temecula quilt-away retreat MORE NEXT MONTH.....

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We have more and more over due books each month. Would everyone please check their library of quilt books. May be you didn't know you have a Fallbrook Quilt Guild book, magazine or pattern. Please check and bring those books back in so you can find more patterns and enjoy more books.

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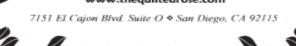
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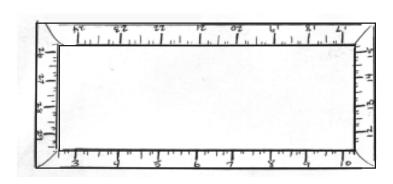
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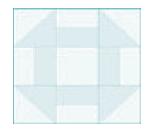
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Next meeting: Thursday, January 8 th at 6:30 PM at the Fallbrook Community Center: Corner of Fallbrook St. and Heald.



REMEMBER TO BRING:

FQG name tag
Block of the month
show and tell quilts
baby quilts/fleecy blankets
library books due
door prizes by November birthday girls
Money, Money, and More Money

January Birthdays

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to YOU!!!

Robinson	Nancy	Jan. 2
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Sadler	Sandy	Jan. 12
King	Betty	Jan. 17
Madden	Marian	Jan. 20
Johnson	Donna J.	Jan. 24
Scott	Patti	Jan. 24
Carpenter	Carol E.	Jan. 25

