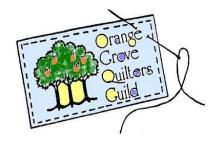
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Spring Beauty

April: Paula Reid

Paula Reid did not start sewing until she was 41 and already she had made a name for herself with her outstanding machine quilting techniques. For those of you who like quilting your own quilts or would like to learn how, next month's program will be of interest to you.

Imagine quilting 100 tops a year and most of them full size quilts and using a regular sewing machine. Paula will be here to tell us how she does it.

Paula's approach to quilting is to look at the top as a whole then design a quilting plan that will enhance the quilt

Paula Reid has been featured in Simply Quilts and I'm sure we will all enjoy her program and workshop.

Workshop: Machine Quilting

Is that stack of quilt tops getting higher and higher? Have you always wanted to take your machine quilting skills beyond the "ditch"? Do you want to learn free motion quilting? Have you seen Paula demonstrating machine quilting on Simply Quilts and wished the episode was longer?

Now you can learn the basics and more with Paula as she walks you through batting choices, the types of needles and thread, how to pin baste correctly, choosing stencils, quilting, and moving those BIG quilts through a standard size home sewing machine.

This is a class for everyone with UFOs in their sewing room!!

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Members with last names beginning

R thru Z

Please bring cookies to the April meeting

President's Message





March at our Guild came in like a lion! Teri Christopherson showed us her beautiful quilts and shared her quilting story. She had so much to share and great books to move us along with our quilting skills. We even had guests who came just to hear our fantastic speaker.

So many new members of our wonderful guild have told me that they feel so welcome because of all of our welcoming members.

Take the time to pat yourselves on the back for being so nice and friendly. Because of all of you, the new members want to participate and become more involved. That means our group is growing and will continue to bloom.

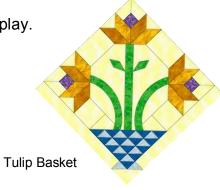
Did you know Donna Massey has filled the bus already and that there is a waiting list for the July trip? It looks like we are ready to have fun in July. I for one, plan to get my check in to cover my reservation pronto!

In July of 2008 we will be planning to take a bus to the International Quilt Show in Long Beach; which is cheaper than a plane trip and hotel room in a far away city to attend an international show.

Look out Southern California the OGQG quilt ladies are coming to play.

Love, laugh, relax and quilt,

Sharon Hritz





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Fabric Pk Linda Sackin
Fabric Pk Ruth Ann Laws

Quilt Cupboard

\$10 Gift Cert Janice Robb \$10 Gift Cert Sandy Barrad

Tall Mouse

Fat Quarter Pk Kay Davis
Fat Quarter Pk Phyllis Derigo

Bear's Quilt Shop

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All Brands

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Quilt Pen Margit Nelson
Plaque Nancy Harrison

Leah's

\$10 Gift Cert Jeri Lopes \$10 Gift Cert Linda Majer

Q's Longarm Quilting

\$25 Gift Cert Corrine Jackson\$25 Gift Cert Carol Matthews



Quilt Visions is excited to announce the construction and completion of the VISIONS ART **QUILT GALLERY** at 2825 Dewey Road, Suite 100 at the former Naval Training Center San Diego. Quilters from San Diego and around the country will join together beginning February 26, 2007 through March 11, 2007 to create a center for the guilting arts. We are looking for electricians, carpenters, and general workers to help complete the interior of the gallery. If you and your family and friends are willing to donate a few hours to come help the other volunteers complete the gallery please e-mail the Visions office: visions@quiltvisions.org Together we will BUILD COMMUNITY THROUGH ART. The Grand Opening will be a Miriam Nathan-Roberts Retrospective April 14, 2007 and run through June 3, 2007.

Tall Mouse

\$15 Gift Cert Mary Langston

THE QUILTING BUG

I've been bitten by wasps, mosquitoes and bees,

and by spiders and ants, and by flies and by fleas.

I have also been bitten by a bug that's quite nice,

I refer to the love bug which bit once or twice.

Then the quilting bug hit me - what a bite that bug had!

I will never recover, I am certainly glad.

There's just one prescription for relief when it itches That's relax and enjoy it,

and as needed, take stitches...

***** Cathy Van Bruggen and Jo Casey have both been in the hospital recently and are back home recovering. Please send a card,good thoughts,and prayers their way.

PLEASE NO PHONE CALLS, they need to rest.





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Ways & Means

Saint Patrick must have been smiling on us! Our baskets and quilt earned us \$356!!

A special "thank you" to all who supported our Ways and Means table either by buying tickets or donating items. We couldn't do it without you. I am sure that our success was due to the anonymous gift of the quilt and the cute bunny stand donated by Sharon Hritz.

The baskets and wall hangings were won by Linda Grey and Susan Croker (a guest from North Cities Quilt Guild). The luck member who won the quilt and bunny stand was Karen Powel. Enjoy your treasures!

Next month's theme is Spring: pastels, bunnies, chicks, Easter and

any gently used items that you think will work for the suggested "theme". Some of the things we hold over until another month, but we do use your items. So look in your stash, closets and boxes. This is a great way to make use of those treasures! Plus don't forget, you get a ticket for your donations.

We draw the winning tickets after the break, so that we can be ready after the speaker is finished with her presentation, so don't forget to deposit your tickets before you take a seat. Tickets are sold before the meeting as soon as we set up, usually around 8:45 and during the break.

See you all next month at the Ways and Means table in the back of the room.

April – Spring – Bunnies, chicks, pastels

May - Mother's Day - floral

June- Patriotic – red, white, blue

August – Summer-beach related, batiks, blends, solids

Carolyn Mohanty and Justine Gentile







Philanthropy

Everyone has been busy. There were 60 pillowcases, 22 finished quilts and 5 quilt tops turned in this month. Don't forget those of you taking the machine quilting class in April why not get a kit (back, batting and quilt top) to do your machine quilting? These are good to practice your new learned skill, also. The door prizes were won by Carol Munn, Moore's fat pack, Janice Robb, Moores fat pack, Bobbie Stilwell, \$10.00 Leah's gift certificate and Eva Jamar, Leah's \$10.00 gift certificate. Don't forget those of you who do Charity quilts for other organizations, please let me know and I will bring you some of our kits for your charity. At this time we have a lot of kits and I am willing to share with you. If you would like to pick them up at my home give me a call. Thanks again to Ingrid Vigeant and Ginger Titterington who have been bringing in several quilts each month. It is greatly appreciated. Also thank you to the rest of you who are doing your share as well. The people who will receive these quilts will be very happy when they get a quilt of their own. The foster children are excited when the time comes for them to pick out the pillowcase of their choice. Don't forget your old eye glasses, pull tabs from the soda cans and old cell phones.

Any questions???

Bea Vieira (714) 968-5167 Carol Howerton (714) 964-1173



Quilters By the Sea Quilt Show:

Saturday, April 28 and Sunday, April 29

Long Beach City College gymnasium. http://www.quiltersbythesea.com/index .html



Wanted:

2 older issues of **QUILT WORLD**

March & April 1995

I would love to make the Panda Quilt shown in these issues, butr I only have part 3 from May95.

Ginger Titterington 714 998-0728

April Birthdays

April 7	Gay Shaughnessy
April 8	Madeline Sherman
April 10	Sharon Hritz
April 10	Katherine Lindell
April 11	Ruth Cox
April 11	Tracy Matheny
April 12	Barbara Lamkins
April 13	Charlotte Carlisle
April 14	Ardith Endres
April 14	**** Blanche Young ****
April 15	Stephanie Williams
April 18	Gale Licata
April 19	Bonnie Van Matre
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Faith and Begora!!! I forgot a March Birthday...

Mickey Mellevold March 11 So wish her a happy day when you see her!

April Unsung Heroes

Merci Apodaca and Joyce Oberle are April's unsung heroes.

These ladies work quietly in the background and get the job done, whatever it might be. They are genuine in their love and concern for others and are always a pleasure to work with on all the many challenging projects to which they devote their time and talent. Thank you, ladies.

GGQG Auction & Tea: October 13, 2007

Our OGQG Auction - Tea will be held October 13, 2007

Garden Grove United Methodist Church, 12741 Main Street, Garden Grove, CA.

This is a <u>guild activity and we need everyone to contribute</u>. The funds raised at the auction provide for wonderful speakers, philanthropy projects, library, hospitality, military quilts and the basic expenses of running a guild of almost 300 members. **At this time guild members need to be planning and making quilts and quilt related items to be auctioned off.** Check and see if you have a quilt top that you can donate. We can find someone to complete it, for the auction. Committees will be organized to make our Auction - Tea an outstanding one day event. I will be calling on you to help and I know I will get it. You guild members are great!

Thank you,

Mary Stockard

OPPORTUNITY QUILT

I need to get help with this "UGLY OLD QUILT". Between the cost of gas going up and having trouble driving at night because of cataracts, I definitely need to contact our members that attend other guilds meetings. It would help immensely if these same members would take the quilt and tickets to sell, or let me ride along. I will be passing out a clipboard at the next meeting or you can call me at

714-971-2463. Sherril Gerard

(p.s. – I call this an "ugly old quilt" so I don't get too attached and have withdrawals when I have to give it up in December.

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Friends That Bind

meets weekly on Wed evenings 6 Pm 1640 Saybrook Ln, HB in Clubhouse Contact Carol Logue *82-840-5475

Group Therapy

meets 3rd Thursday, 10am-1pm, Leah's in Orange

Contact: Carol Bock 744-6358

Sew Loose

meets 3rd Friday 9:30am, rotate homes:

Contact: Phyllis Lehmann FV

714-847-9872, Ardith Endres GG

714-534-2444

& Sally Flatebo WM 714-894-4150

Shoreline Sew N Sew was Magnolia Bee's meets 1st Wed 9:30am,
Shoreline Baptist Church
10350 Ellis Huntington Beach

Contact: Eva Jamar 714-964-3028, Betty Jean Wenner -or Linda Webre

Form a new group and need help, call Mary Stockard 714-893-2502



2007 Opportunity Quilt "Quilters Scrap Basket"

What's Coming Up

April 2: Passover April 8: Easter

April 11: Paula Reid

April 12: Machine Quilting

April 20: Board/Sharon Hritz

May: Jennie Rayment

June: Dead Turkey

Linda & Gale- Bag Ladies

August: Mary Pavlovich

Sept: Sharon Schamber

Oct: Lyn Mann

Nov: Joen Woelfrom







Jack & Wendy Hager



PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CORRECTIONS:

Please notify me of any updates and/or changes in the Yearbook and I will publish it in the next newsletter.

I want to thank Betty Jean Wenner and Mary Stockard for assisting me at the Membership table each and every month.

Happy Quilting Sylvia Kain should be included as a Charter Member.

Bea Vieira should be listed as 2006 Outstanding Member

Nancy Post

Membership

Correct phone number for Sherry Lincoln is 714-818-2029.

weposts@earthlink.net

562-431-7494







APRIL

Round Robin Participants:

Remember to turn in your first round of blocks and borders at the beginning of the meeting to Sally McKibben.

At the break, pick up your next assignment. Good luck and have fun!

The April pattern should include TRIANGLES, any technique compatible with the center block. If you used some of your own fabrics, please include extra for the next round and the owner.

Sally McKibben, (562) 492-6947

Show & Tell

Pat Kritlow Glorified Nine Patch

Joyce Oberle "My " Garden of Eden

Lauretta Gerritz Cathedral Window

Jean Rosa & Friendship Group Sand Castles

Marge Densmore Bright Stars

Sally McKibben Buttermilk Farm goes to France

Mary Stockard 1930's Feedsack Quilt

Carol Howerton Nancy Chong Flower

Springtime

Bea Vieira Flannel Quilts

Janice Robb Pinwheel and Stars

May 19-20, 2007: Antelope Valley Quilt Association's 30th Anniversary Quilt Show, "Poppies and Pearls," will be held at the Antelope Valley Fairgrounds, Eliopulos Pavilion, 2551 W. Avenue H in Lancaster. Hours are 10-5 on Saturday and 10-4 on Sunday. Quilt Auction on Saturday at 1:00. Fashion Show on Sunday at 1:00. There will be vendors, door prizes, a boutique, demonstrations, and drawings for an opportunity quilt and a Janome Jem. Admission is \$7.00 for both days. Husbands and children under 12 are free. Parking is \$3.00. For more information, see www.avqa.org, or call Dawn at 661-943-4445. The admission price for groups of 10 or more is \$5 each

May 31-June 3, 2007: Join the Traveling Quilters for a Quilt-Away Weekend in Temecula. Four days to do nothing but sew and visit with friends! For information contact pam@travelingquilters.com or visit our website at www.travelingquilters.com

June 2007: Orange County Quilters Guild Quilt Show at Anaheim First Christian Church, 520 W. South Street in Anaheim. Featured artist: Donna O'Brien Director: Gail Conser, phone 714-345-638, email gaconser@earthlink.ne

July 12-15 and 19-22, 2007: 2007 Southern California Quilters Run. Hours will be 9 AM to 9 PM Thursday through Saturday, and Sunday, 9-5. Believe it or not, there are 37 shops on board this next year

July 21, 2007: SCCQG Meeting - Host: Central Coast Quilt Guild Topic: Meet the Teachers

August 4-5, 2007: Santa Monica Quilt guild Quilt Show at Loyola Marymount College. Quilts on display, quilt auction, guild boutique, merchant mall and more! For details visit our website: www.santamonicaquiltguild.org

August 20-26, 2007. Join the Traveling Quilters as we visit the AQS Nashville show and Memphis. For information, contact Sue Glass (372-3945) or Sue@travelingquilters.com or visit our website www.travelingquilters.com

September 15-16, 2007: TLC Quilters presents "Quilt Round-Up at Hurst Ranch" - A members' showcase of quilts. Vendors, silent auction, country store and much more! Saturday & Sunday, September 15 & 16, 2007. For info contact: tlcquilters@yahoo.com