# Dispatcher

Volume 38 #11

## **Next Meeting:**

November 2020

Lecture - Zoom Webinar November 11, 10am

Workshop-Zoom November 12, 9am-3pm



**Election Committee-**

Elections are coming in November for our 2021 Board members. I have talked to the existing elected Board and asked if they would be willing to do another year. All accepted the offer. Please consider for next year's board:

President- Christi Kolisnyk 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – Britta Laski 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President- Ann Liebovitz Secretary – Marilyn Pond Treasurer- Sandy Bloore

We will vote on our November Zoom meeting. We handle our business in the first 15 minutes, so be sure to sign on before 10am.

Carol Logue

# A word from Our President

#### Hello Quilters

Here it is the end of October and the weather is cooling down, it was 47 this morning! Well, that is what early bird Rick told me. Keep in mind he is walking at 6:30am. As he is walking, he sends me the neighbors' spooky scenes in their yards. Some families are so clever, all I have is a few pumpkins out.



This will be a truly short letter this month as you will be receiving a rather long one in the mail very soon. All members will receive a hard copy with my letter and next year's membership form. I wanted to reach out to all members and update them on how we have been handling this year as a guild. If anyone is not using email or the internet this will catch them up to date.

We will continue to communicate and socialize through the internet until we are cleared to meet in person. I hope you are all staying healthy and taking care of your loved ones.

#### Christi Kolisnyk



#### Sunshine

Marilyn Pond is going to be a GREAT Grandma for the 3rd time this coming June.

#### Shadows

Sharon Sutton had another fall. Came away with a sprained arm, concussion, and some stitches on her face. I hope she is starting to feel better soon.

If you know of any guild member with a Sunshine or Shadow, please let Christi Kolisnyk or Bea Viera know.

#### WEBINARS & WORKSHOPS

# November 11 & 12 Cathy Van Bruggen Baltimore Spring - Needleturn Applique





# Learn How to Needle-Turn Applique

Our own Cathy Van Bruggen will be our guest in November. Cathy is a wonderful applique designer and teacher. She'll walk us through the needle-turn process teaching us all the skills we need for her "brand-new-for-us" Baltimore Spring design.

Wed, Nov 11, at 10am, Cathy will be teaching us, "All About Applique". Guild members will receive a link to the event on Monday, Nov 9.

At our workshop Thurs, Nov 12, Cathy will teach us all we need to know for the lovely Baltimore Spring block. I haven't done much hand applique myself and I'm really looking forward to learning all the different skills in this class. Here's what Cathy says:

"In this class we will learn the basics of needle-turn applique and so much more! The Baltimore Spring class project will offer unusual **embellishment techniques** such as ruched flowers, yo-yo flowers, 3 dimensional highlights, and how to create little creatures. **This class is for all skill levels.** There will be a class kit that includes the pattern, fabric and embellishments.

Join us for a day of fun and inspiration"

The workshop will be from 9 am-3 pm with a lunch break about noon. All the supplies we need to complete the block will be included in a required kit. The workshop is still at our reduced price of \$30 and the required kit is \$20.

To enroll, you should <u>first</u> email me, <u>pat.barton@verizon.net</u> then send me your check, made out to OGQG, for \$50. For your convenience, you may pay by credit card. You just need to call me with your credit card info to be instantly enrolled in the class. Note that there will be a \$2 convenience charge on each transaction.

## WEBINARS & WORKSHOPS

# **Baltimore Spring**

# **Embellishment Techniques**

Learn the basics of needle-turn applique and so much more! This class project will offer unusual embellishment techniques such as ruched flowers, yo-yo flowers, three dimensional highlights, and how to create little creatures. This class is for all skill levels.

## **Basic sewing supplies**

\*Needles: #10 straw or applique

\*Fine pins (#17 ball point)

\*Marking Pencils (mechanical lead, white)

Glue stick (any kind)

\*Scissors (paper and embroidery)

\*Threads (shades of brown, pinks, greens, purple\*

Freezer paper

Task light, light box, extension cord,

Iron and ironing surface

\*Available at www.cathyvb.com

\*Threads: I prefer 60 wt. poly bobbin fill for an invisible stitch. If using cotton, embroidery 50 wt. is best.



**Kits will be needed for this class to keep from spending time on cutting.** The \$20 kit will include the pattern, fabric, and embellishments.

**NOTE**: The kit will have a beige, 15.5"x15.5" background. You may use a background of your choice for a quilt in progress.

Cathy Van Bruggen Designs
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## WEBINARS & WORKSHOPS 2021



# TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR BIG DEAL! BUY 2 WORKSHOPS FOR 2021 AND THE SECOND WORKSHOP IS HALF-PRICE!

We have a calendar full of speakers and workshops for 2021. The schedule is posted for you to check out which workshops are perfect for you. Check out this newsletter, our website and our Facebook page.

Don't delay. This offer expires February 10, 2021.

This has been a remarkable year in our Guild and in the world. We are all learning to enjoy our virtual reality and socializing online. As we're nearing the end of 2020, it appears we'll be continuing with social distancing and online learning into the new year.

In light of that, we are planning for 2021 to be a year packed with great Webinars and Virutal Workshop. Here is our lineup beginning in February 2021.

#### OGQG 2021 SPEAKERS & WORKSHOPS

February 10 – Pam Hadfield – Trunk Show February 11 – Pam Hadfield Workshop – Red, White and Bloom Mamapquilts.com

March 10 – Susan Cleveland – My Eclectic Quilt Pageant March 11 – Susan Cleveland – Disappearing Dresdens PiecesBeWithYou.Com

April 14 – Jean Impey – Finding Your Passion and Running With It April 15 – Jean Impey – Spider Web Sewjean.com

> May 12 – Elizabeth Eastmond – Abecedary of Quilts May 13 – Elizabeth Eastmond – Merrion Square Opquilt.com

June 9 – Michele Crawford – Just Cut The Scraps June 10 – Michele Crawford – TBD Flowerboxquilts.com

August 11 – Susan Wade – An Artistic Journey August 12 – Susan Wade – Fish Collage Facebook.com/Susan Wade Fabric Collage

September 8 – Colleen Granger – A Bodacious Trunk Show September 9 – Colleen Granger – Fantabulous Sewlittletimequilting.com

October 13 – Sandy Carreon – My Quilted Menagerie October 14 – Sandy Carreon – Free Motion Quilting Sandycarreonquilting.com

November 10 – Leah Zieber – Tiny Treasures November 11 – Leah Zieber – Orphans & Aliens Zieberquilts.com

Of note: the workshop fee will return to \$40 in February, 2021. As an encouragement to try some virtual workshops, we have a deal. Buy two and get the 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop ½ off. This is a one time offer and you must sign up and pay for your two workshops before February 11, 2021.

You may sign up beginning Oct 1 by emailing me, <a href="mailto:pat.barton@verizon.net">pat.barton@verizon.net</a> or call me with your credit card info or mail me a sign up sheet, along with your check made out to OGQG. Pat Barton, 4237 Montair Ave, Long Beach, CA 90808, 562-833-5485.

#### WEBINARS & WORKSHOPS

#### ORANGE GROVE QUILTERS GUILD

#### **Member Workshop Sign-Up Sheet for 2021**

enrolled in a worksho	op once you have paid. Workshop fees will not be refunded.	
_ February 11	Pam Hadfield	\$40
	Red, White and Bloom Wall Quilt - pattern required	
	Mamapquilts.com	
March 11	Susan Cleveland	\$40
	Disappearing Dresdens	
	Pieces Be With You	
April 15	Jean Impey - \$12 materials fee	\$40
	Spider Web	
	Sewjean.com	
May 13	Elizabeth Eastmond	\$40
	Merrion Spuare	
	Opquilt.com	
June 10	Michele Crawford	\$40
	TBD	
	Flowerboxquilts.com	
August 12	Susan Wade	\$40
	Fin, Fabric Collage	
	Facebook.com/Susan Wade Fabric Collage	
September 9	Colleen Granger	\$40
	Fantabulous	
	Sewlittletimequilting.com	
October 14	Sandy Carreon	\$40
	Free Motion Quilting	
	Sandycarreonquilting.com	
November 11	Leah Zieber	\$40
	Orphans & Aliens	

If one of your chosen workshops is full you may be put on the waiting list. If you are on the waiting list, you will be notified if a space becomes available to you. You will then refund the person whose space you're filling.

Questions? Contact Pat Barton: pat.barton@verizon.net.



## **PHILANTHROPY**

Our guild is collecting Christmas gifts for the Marines at Camp Pendleton again this year. I will be at the Elks Lodge on both November 4th and December 2nd (the first Wednesdays) along with the phi-

lanthropy to collect gifts between 10 to noon. If you're unable to come to the Elks Lodge, you can also either do a porch drop off at my home, mail gift cards or, if you're online shopping, put my address in the ship to. All of my information is in the guild yearbook/roster.



Thank you so much for helping to brighten the Children's Christmas.

Britta Laski 1st Vice President

#### PHILANTROPHY DRIVE THRU

The first Philanthropy Drive-thru turned out to be a great success. Hope those that didn't make it will have an opportunity to drive-thru at our next one on Wednesday, November 4th from 10:00 to 12:00. Our members are so generous and talented, all items donated are appreciated.

We had lots of the Trip Around the World blocks turned in, they turned out fantastic. The red, white and blue blocks have been made into a patriotic quilt and the others have been separated into 20 blocks each to be made into quilts that are 4 blocks across and 5 blocks down. If anyone is interested in picking a bundle up and putting it together for philanthropy, they will be available at our Drive-Thru. The way they are put together is up to your imagination, there is no set pattern.

30 quilts were mailed to the Napa fire victims this month. They were sent to an organization that will distribute them to the needy family's that lost homes and possessions.

Just a reminder that we are still collecting the Hobbs bar code scanner number. Hobbs gives us credit for the purchase of their batting which is a big help in keeping the cost down. Save them and drop them off at the monthly drive-thru.

In November and December there will also be a station set up to drop off TOYS for the Marines. See news article by Britta Laski for details.

The Philanthropy Drive-Thru is the first Wednesday of every month from 10:00 to 12:00 at the Elk's Lodge, 11551 Trask Ave., Garden Grove (corner of Trask and Newhope). We are set up at the front entrance. No need to get out of your car,

just drive up, stop, drop off or pick up and drive away. There will be someone to get your items out of the car and give you any items you would like to work on. We will have pillowcase kits, quilt kits, Trip Around the World blocks and quilts that need quilting.

Looking forward to seeing you Wednesday, November 4th.

Sherry Lincoln and Jan Oglesby

The Elk's Lodge is located at 11551 Trask Ave., Garden Grove (corner of Trask and Newhope).



# Guess what time it is..... It's 2021 OGQG Membership Renewal Time!!!





This first week of November, you will be receiving your Membership Renewal Package in the mail.

The package includes everything you need to renew your membership for 2021, membership form, instructions of different payment options, and a very detailed letter from Christi telling you of all the activities that took place this year, despite COVID, and assuring us they will continue for the new year.

We encourage you all to complete and return your form with payment of \$25.00 by January 13, 2021. Renewals after that date WILL NOT appear in the 2021 Roster/ Yearbook. Please note: There is a box to check on the form if you do not want to be listed in the Roster.

We are looking forward to all 293 members returning and welcoming any new members.

Thanks everyone, Pam Osorio - Membership





#### THE MYSTERY HAS BEGUN!

We are in full swing with our newest Mystery/Sew Along. So far, we have released the first two weeks on our Guild Facebook with seven more to go. If you have trouble finding it, go to the files section at the top of the page. Once I post it, the administrators will move it there for future reference.

Please post photos of your blocks as you finish each one. Can't wait to see what colors everyone has chosen.

Have fun and feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

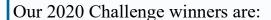
Marie Blash



#### ROUND ROBIN LADIES

Please be advised that we will be on hold till we meet again in person. As we approach the in-house date I will contact each one of you as to what will be the plan. Thanks for your patience and look forward to meeting with you in the coming year hopefully. Patty Thompson Cheryl Guacci

We are wrapping up another year of UFO Challenge. For the 2020 UFO Parade Challenge, we had 43 participants who finished 91 quilt projects. Even though we could not see them in person, many of our members posted their beautiful quilts on Facebook. Every one who finished a UFO had a chance to win a gift certificate to a quilt or fabric shop.



Pam Osorio - Grand Prize of \$150.00 gift certificate to Joann's

Gift Certificates to Jenny's/M&L: Barbara Mead and Bea Viera

Gift Certificates to Orange Quilt Bee: Irma Ciccarelli, Marie Sandoval,

Carol Macey and Nancy Zimmerman

Gift Certificates to Sewing Escape: Nancy Kane, Marie Blash, Marilyn

Pond and Dell Childs

In April, we challenged everyone to post finished UFOs on Facebook. The member who posted the most finished projects would receive a \$20 gift certificate to Jenny's or M&L. Twenty members took up that challenge and finished a total of 85 UFOs.

Winner of this challenge is Bea Viera who completed to date 40 projects!!

Congratulations to all the winners. Thanks to all who participated in our UFO challenges.

Due to Covid-19, we are suspending the UFO Challenge for 2021 and will resume the UFO Challenge when we are able to meet again in person.

Stay safe, stay healthy!



# November 2020 Birthdays

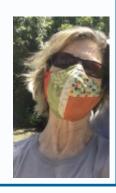






Pam Osorio - Membership

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# COME TO OUR ONE DAY GIANT QUILTER'S GARAGE SALE!

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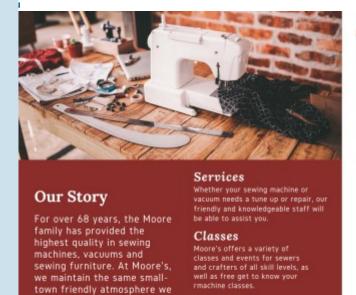
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The **ORANGE GROVE QUILTERS GUILD** is a tax exempt group whose purpose is to educate, encourage and maintain high standards of design, technique, quilting and fiber arts and to inspire achievements in areas of creativity, quilting and fiber arts.

**MEMBERSHIP** is currently open. Annual Dues are \$25.00 per year beginning in January and ending in December. Guest donation is \$5.00 per meeting.

**MEETINGS:** The regular meeting is at 9:30am on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. (Doors open at 8:30a.m.) December's meeting is on the 1st Wednesday. No meeting is held in July. Meetings are held at Garden Grove Elks Lodge located at 11551 Trask Avenue, Garden Grove, California.

Due to COVID-19 there are no planned in person meetings at this time.

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