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August, 2022

Dear Quilters,

I lost a dear friend and mentor when Lori Ramsey passed away in mid-July. Lori was always ready when I needed something (a president for a third year because of Covid, yards of face mask elastic(!), participation in 'my' round robin, cases of water for the 2019 show, and sons willing to do whatever she asked- like setting up their 2021 Quilt Tour site; endless giving and support). She also modeled for me an open, receptive and caring approach to others, something I know I do not do well. I will miss her terribly as will our guild, Acacia and Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds. There is a hole where she once was among us.

It's August, our "dark" month. As Program and Workshop VPs begin to plan for 2023 the question came up (from me, I admit) "Why doesn't QBS meet in August? Why don't we meet for guild and workshop?" I thought that Arbor Road Church was closed simply this month. I found out, that's *not the reason*!

When the guild's summer retreat was originally organized, it fell during the week of guild and workshop meetings. Many members attended the retreat, including many of the movers and shakers, so a decision was made to just go dark for August.

Fast forward to now. The retreats have been subject to calendar 'creep' and now are scheduled for the week prior to QBS's meetings. It was clarified at the last board meeting that the church *is available* for guild and workshop meetings in August. Our 2023 calendar will reflect those additional dates.

September is election month! I'm very happy with the volunteers that are on our board and work diligently to make our meetings work well. I'm hoping that they will all be able to continue in their current jobs. However, members are moving away, even out of state in some cases! If you are interested in any position, please let Dawn Lindelin, our Parliamentarian, know. She organizes the nominations and voting slate. Don't want to jump into the deep end of the pool? Check out the last page of the bulletin and find an *OPEN* job that needs filling. I started small (Show and Tell) and now look at me! LOL!

Yours, Kate

P.S. <u>Open House Saturday, August 13, 10am-1pm</u> <u>kate&marcquilting@gamil.com</u>

Come and admire Marc's and my long arm quilting set-up and renovated space.

+/- 6 blocks N of Carollynn's garage so stop in there, too, and pick up some Community Relations projects.

Round Robin participants can exchange projects, too!

Address will be posted in Blast in early August. Light refreshments served.



Carollynn Machado-Guarino & Randy Miller



A grateful Socuro of Caring Connections in Bellflower

We want your quilt pictures!

One of the best things about being in a guild is seeing all the terrific things our members have made. Please be a "Showoff!" Send photos in an email to both Newsletter (Nancy Jordan) and (Dawn Lindelin) Website and include the following: your first and last names! (Please, we have 3 Sallys and lots of Lindas!) Include a short (5 sentences max!) story about each item, or collection of items, as to why you made it, or chose those colors. Was it a workshop? Who is getting it/is it going to Community Relations? Inquiring minds want to know. Please use **JPEG** format. Contact information for Dawn Lindelin and Nancy Jordan is in the roster.



August Birthdays

Sandra Carreon	4	Jody Baca	14
Ann Leibovitz	8	Joyce Allen	21
Katherine Gains	8	Carol Beliso	21
April Berg	13	Alice Finkelstein	25

Love to shop and help the guild at the same time?

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QBS has a NEW cumulative total of \$480.16 as of March, 2022. U.S. charities have received \$334,286,080.29 as of March, 2022. Every penny counts.



Pam Plakos & Lyndell Darby

We are always accepting magazines and/or books that need a new home. It's so great to be able to see everyone in our new location.

> Stay safe and keep quilting... Pam and Lyndell

MEMBERSHIP

Merry Jennings & Melody Doukenick

Greetings one and all from your Membership Committee. We are pleased to say we now have 94 members on the roster and will eagerly welcome any and all additions. Please consider talking to your friends/co-workers/relatives/neighbors and let them know what a friendly group we are and always eager to offer help or advice when asked. You need not be an 'experienced' quilter to join us...just an admiration of quilting and ready to learn a new skill or craft or maybe be there to admire creations by a fellow sewist or designer.

We would like to have greeters at the door to help with visitors, new members and when needed crowd control!!!! Any interested contact Melody Doukenick or Merry Jennings.

Happy quilting,

Merry Jennings <u>CAJennings@aol.com</u> Melody Doukenick <u>melodydoukenick@gmail.com</u>

Quilters by the Sea Quilt Guild



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Round Robin 2022

Round Robin participants will be exchanging projects at the guild meeting. Don't forget to bring the project you have!

SUNSHINE & SHADOWS

Sonia Das

SUNSHINE & SHADOWS & SHOUTOUTS

Sonia Das will be handling *Sunshine & Shadows* for Quilters by the Sea this year. If she has omitted anyone or anything, corrections and updates will be made in future newsletters. Please contact her with news about guild members at <u>soniadas@yahoo.com</u>.

Sunshine

• Brenda Biggart and Lyndell Darby have recovered from Covid.

Shadows

- Nancy Jordan is facing health challenges and was hospitalized again. Hopefully she is done with paramedics and hospitals for a while.
- Our past president Lori Ramsey has lost her battle with cancer. She leaves behind her 3 sons Adam, Patrick, and Nathan. Her memorial service will be announced later.
- Kristy Chillington's husband is recovering from his 4th back surgery. Each day is a little better.
- Covid has reached the Morales' household.



Wendy Dillon & Randy Miller

August we will be dark---September is Community Relations Month--All the best--Wendy Dillon-Workshop Chair

Friendship Square Quilt Guild Quilt Show Alive with Color - Take 2 Sept. 17-18, 2022. Sat. 10-5 Sun. 10-4 La Habra Community Center 101 W. La Habra Blvd., La Habra, CA Large Quilt Display, Vendors, Breast Cancer Quilt Raffle, Boutique/Quilt Sale, Silent Auction and more Opportunity Quilt drawing Sun. Sept. 18, 3:30pm Admission: \$8

OPPORTUNITY QUILT 2022

Cathe Hagerman-Beizer

2022 OPPORTUNITY QUILT – "HALLOWEEN DELIGHT" – (57" x 74") – was machine pieced and hand quilted by Kate Weber. The fabrics are Halloween themed and the design is a pattern by Australian designer, Jen Kingwell, called "Wanderer's Wife". Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. Winner need not be present to win. Further information and/or tickets are available by contacting Cathe HagermanBeizer, Opportunity Quilt Chair, at Quilters by the Sea, P.O. Box 92814, Long Beach, CA 90809, or through the website: www.quiltersbythesea.com The drawing for the winner will be held on <u>September 8th, 2022</u>.



Look for this Quilt at the International Quilt Show In Long Beach



Quilt Show News

2023 Quilt Roadshow and Craft Faire

Saturday April 22, 2023 10am - 4pm

4 Members Houses (9.2 Miles total loop) - Not a drive-by event - Stop and shop

Get all details online - https://quiltersbythesea.com/quilt-show

Collecting items - Bring to Meeting or Call us to arrange time to drop

- QBS Boutique Items Make fun and cute items
- Baskets Raffles ideas Food, Wine, Spa, Family Fun, and of course Quilting!
- Raffles Items

Get Ready to Enter Your Beautiful Quilts!

You can find all the details at: https://quiltersbythesea.com/quilt-show-quilt-entry/

Purchase tickets online: <u>https://quiltersbythesea.com/quilt-show-tickets</u> Price: \$12.00 Pre-Sales \$15.00 Day of Event

Looking forward to a fun event!

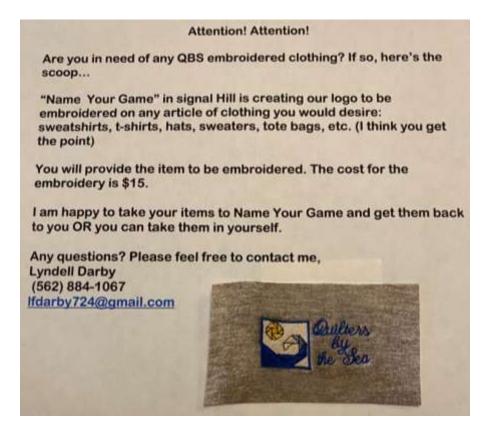
Co-Chairs: KP Peysar and Mimi Murray

Email: <u>QBSquiltshow@quiltersbythesea.com</u>

Newsletter articles are due on the 20th of every month to Nancy Jordan at <u>nhjordan@msn.com</u>. Please put Newsletter and next month in the subject line and please include your name in the email so you can get proper credit for your article. Thank you.



Many thanks to our hard working members who volunteer their time and talents to make our guild great, especially those who contribute to Community Relations every year.



A big thanks to Pamela Plakos for organizing all the Show & Tell photos so they matched the slips since I wasn't able to attend the meeting.

The Tina Trunk Show











If you submit your quilt photo, it will be published in the next issue. Please send the photos to <u>nhjordan@msn.com</u> with show and tell in the subject line. Or you can send the phtotos to my cell. The number is in the roster. Try to get them in by the 20th. Thank you for your contributions, keep them coming for every month. Please use **JPEG** format. And now, contributions from our busy members.





Melody Doukenick's Floating Pinwheels Melis.

Melody's Greased Lightning designed by Jo

designed by Dora Cary.



Melody also finished Lady Bug Lady Bug and quilted it herself.



Edyth Henrickson made Fashionista From Quilter's World using a jelly roll. Quilted by Annette Morales.





April Berg visited a friend, shared fabric and each of them made a quilt. Hers is called Friendship.

Alan Calgaro made Arkansas Traveler using the AccuQuilt dies. This will be sold at the Quilt Show next April.



Alan made this One Day Wonder in 5 hours. Cut at 11:00 and finished at 4:30.



This Wide Striped Sash by Alan proves that odd colors in your stash can match. This quilt will be donated.

Dorothy Foral first quilt finally finished. Started in the 1980's from a pattern in Woman's Day magazine. Finished in 2019. Quilted by Christy Close.



Dorothy also created Blue Hawaiian from 5" squares she won at her first QBS meeting. This will be a charity quilt.



Dorothy created" I Love Pink and Pineapples" as a quilt topper for the guild.

This is Dorothy's "Blue Paisley" quilted by Christy Close. The quilting matches the paisley in the fabric.



Carol Beliso made this Jewel Box Quilt was from her stash except for the background.



Jo Melis Yappity Yap quilt will be donated to the Guild.



Llama Rama by Jo will also be donated To the QBS quilt show next April.



Sandy Carreon and Kate Weber worked on this Christmas quilt to be donated to QBS.



Another contribution by Jo Melis



Kate Weber was inspired by Marc Hyatt's Disappearing 9 Patch for this quilt.



Sandy Carreon and Kate Weber contributed to this Explorations quilt going to community relations.



Sandy started and Kate finished this Sea Quilt

ready for donation to Community Relations



Kate, Janet, Wendy, and Marc made this quilt at the LA County Fair while demonstrating quilting at the quilt booth.



Sandy quilted this panel and Kate sewed the binding on this Dream Big Exploration which will be donated to Community Relations.



Jody Baca made this Missouri Star pattern. Joyce Allen quilted it.



Marc Hyatt has made the Wine themed quilt. of these quilts himself. This one is for his sister.



quilt. Red Squares by Marc. He quilted both sister.



Jody Baca made this Dora Cary 9 Patch fsrom fabric from Carolynn's garage.

Travels and Suggestions by Barbee Tidball



In June I traveled east to Utah and this month I'm heading south to San Diego. In Bluff, Utah we checked out the Bluff Fort Historic Park which is operated by local the Mormons. The 1880 founding of Bluff was by a group of Mormons who created a hole in the rock to bring people, animals and wagons through the red rock to settle Bluff. The historic park has replica displays showing life at the time and some very delicious "homemade" ice cream" made on site.

Also in Utah I visited Canyonland Quilts in Moab, Utah, www.canyonlandquilts.com. The shop carries (and does online orders) for a large variety of fabrics. I thought of guild members when I saw fabrics featuring motorcycles, campers, trucks, and western themes.

Between now and October 1, 2022 I suggest a trip to San Diego. Visions Museum of Textile Art, 2825 Dewey Rd., San Diego <u>visions@visionsartmuseum.org</u> has three exhibits that guild members would enjoy. <u>Up Close & Personal</u> is an exhibition featuring work by quilt artists who have served or are serving as President of Studio Art Quilt Associates, Inc. (SAQA). Quilts on display through November 12th represent their talents.

<u>Where Light Enters</u> at Vision is by Doshi and features her textile dyeing, artwork and wearable art designs. The designs are stimulated by plant forms using a creative dyeing techniques and color palettes. This exhibit on through November 5th.

<u>Symmetry & Surprise: The Art of Paula Nadelstern</u>, is showing some amazing quilts based on the artist's interest in kaleidoscopes.



2022 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

POSITIONS – ELECTED

President:	KATE WEBER
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	BACA
Quilt Show 2023	KP PEYSAR & MIMI MURRAY

BOARD MEETINGS are held the 2nd Tuesday of the Month at 7:00 pm.

ON ZOOM

GENERAL MEETINGS are held the 2nd Thursday of the month unless otherwise stated in the Newsletter and/or Calendar page of our website.

Doors open at:	6:15 PM		
Meeting starts at:	7:00 PM		
Ar	bor Road Church		
M	McPherson Chapel 5336 E. Arbor Road		
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Long	g Beach, CA 90808		

POSITIONS-APPOINTED

IntraGuild	LORI DAVIES
Community Relations	RANDY MILLER &
	CAROLLYNN MACHADO-
	GUARINO
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	DARBY
Parliamentarian	DAWN LINDELIN
Newsletter	NANCY JORDAN
SCCQG	SAMANTHA McCARTHY –
	LURIE

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Opportunity Quilt	CATHE HAGERMAN-BEIZER
Photography	DEB CARDINALE
Raffle	CLAIRE JANN
Retreat	LORI DAVIES
Round Robin	KATE WEBER
Sew Sew Late	SUE LAMKEY
Show and Tell	PAM PLAKOS & LYNDELL
	DARBY
Sunshine & Shadows	SONIA DAS
UFO	LORI DAVIES
Website	DAWN LINDELIN
Zoom Tech	DR. DEB BELCHER

Membership Roster Updates or Corrections

As a reminder, we like to keep your information correct and updated on the Membership Roster. If you have any changes with your information as it appears on the Roster or if you have updates, please email them to the Membership Chairs Mary Jennings and Melody Doukenick at: <u>quiltersbythesea@gmail.com</u>. Reminder; visitor/guest fees are \$5.00 for in person meetings. Fees may be waived by the President or Vice President of Programs only.

