



quiltSpeak

Programs

Robbie Bos, Barbara McPherson,
Melinda Monteen and Julie Tracy

August 13 Guild Meeting

There will be a double presentation at this meeting . . . "Mystery Quilt Reveal" by Janis Benedict and Karen Hogan, and "Comfort Quilts" by Signe James. The members that have been working on the Block-A-Month under the tutelage of Janis Benedict and Karen Hogan will be sharing their finished quilt tops.

And, Signe will share some of the Comfort Quilts that have been created by our members. She will come prepared with her traditional bundles and packets. There will also be the high-spirited auction/give-away of some of her fabulous scraps.

September 10 Guild Meeting

Shelly Swanland's, new, revised and exciting trunk show. You won't want to miss her **new** presentation.

October 8 Guild Meeting

A trunk show by our own Sue Fiscalini. Sue's work never disappoints. Wait 'til you see her latest creations. Stay tuned for

From our President

Dian Robinson

What a fabulous show! Another successful Seven Sisters Quilt Show is in the books and I cannot tell you how blessed our guild is to have so many talented ladies. I hope everyone got a chance to walk around the vendors and displayed quilts, even though for a while it was quite nippy in the Expo Center.

Now we have a chance to relax and start thinking about those handmade gifts we make for family and friends during the holiday season. Karen H. and I are going up to the NCCQG meeting in July to check out possible teachers for the future. Also, as I mentioned in June's meeting, the SCCQG meeting in July is in Santa Barbara and will focus on making the best of our committees and officers-if you have thought about becoming a volunteer for the guild, this would be a wonderful opportunity to learn how to make it the best. I am going as well as Susan Knowles and we are willing to have people carpool with us, just email one of us to let us know that you want to attend.

Lastly, I want to wish everyone a safe and happy Fourth of July and remember no meeting in July. See you in August. The picture I chose was my favorite quilt at the show, a combo of applique and embroidery. Wow!!!

more about her trunk show in the September newsletter.

November 12 Guild Meeting

The UFO reveal is finally here. Those that signed up to complete their UFO's will have an opportunity to share their completed projects. Wahoo!!!

Attendance at workshops has been down. So, the Program Committee has a question for you. What do you want in the way of workshops for 2019???
Or, should we take a one-year hiatus? We'll be asking your opinion at the August meeting.

Library News

Irene Dailey

Lucky August 13 is when the "retired" library books will be offered FOR FREE at 6:30!! Be sure to get to the meeting early to shop! If you have books that you would like to give away, bring them to our meeting place by 6:30 and put them out. What a fun way to start off our August meeting. Bring a bag!!

Happy July Birthdays

- 1 - Marylu Weaver Meagher
- 8 - Susan Barker, Mary Robinson, Julie Towery
- 15 - Roxanna Elmore
- 18 - Janet Peltzman

What's Your Area Code?

We need to update our member database with telephone area codes. If your area code is NOT "805" please contact Susan Knowles by email with your name and area code. Thanks!

2018-2019 Membership:

Susan Knowles

Please tell your friends interested in quilting that our dues are now \$20. I spoke with several former members at the Show who were not aware that dues were returned to \$20. We lost a number of guild members when dues were raised last year. We want our friends to return!

Thank you to 31 members who have already renewed membership for 2018-2019.

2017-2018 membership expires June 30. The membership form can be found on the guild resource page:

<http://www.sloquilters.org/membership/index.html>.

Dues are \$20 per year and include your sponsored youth.

We rely on you to keep your sponsored youth up to date on guild activities so we do not need their contact information. They also do not appear in the roster. We currently have 4 youth members.

We do not have a July meeting so please mail in your renewal to:

SLO Quilters/
Membership
P.O. Box 14306
San Luis Obispo, CA 93406

If you are interested in the position of Membership Chair please contact Dian Robison, President. 805-543-1595, or tdrobinson3@yahoo.com.

Membership Updates

1. Tammy Riley has a new phone number: 805-234-4792
2. Dede Leece has a new email: ddleece@gmail.com
3. Barbara McPherson's phone number: 805-489-8669
4. Smitty Price is moving to Oregon but remains a member: [797 St.Charles Place, Hood River,OR 97031](http://797.St.Charles.Place.Hood.River.OR.97031). Her new email is smittyorsusan@gmail.com and her same cell phone 805-550-5636

Treasury

Susan Knowles

Beg. Bal.	32,389.48
Income	4/30/18
Advertising	
Coffee Cans	40.00
Comm. Quilts	
Donations	
The Experience	
Interest	1.36
Library	
Membership dues	20.00
Opportunity Quilt	
Polling Place	
Programs	
SCCQG	
Seven Sisters	
Workshops	275.00
Total Income	336.36
Expenses	
AQGCC	
Block a Month	
Comm. Quilts	
Donations	
The Experience	
Historian	
Hospitality	
Library	
Membership	
Newsletter	
Operating Expenses	
Opportunity Quilt	
PIQF trip	
Postage	
President's Quilt	
Programs	500.00
Rent	
Seven Sisters Show	
SCCQG	
Taxes	
Website	
Workshop	988.40
Total Expenses	1488.40
Balance	31,237.44

Seven Sisters Quilt Show

Irene Dailey

As the SLO Quilters BIG SHOW Representative, here is a huge THANK YOU from me, to everyone who volunteered to make this show a success! I hope everyone who entered a quilt into the show volunteered for at least one working shift. If not, PLEASE be sure to volunteer next year.

Some of us worked too hard. Here are the SLO Quilters who were brave enough to head-up committees. I'm sure they would appreciate your thanks! Karen Hogan, Sue Barker, and Jeannie Carmichael – ACQUISITIONS. Judie Kirkhart and Jill Sabol – ADMISSIONS. Barbara McPherson – CHALLENGE QUILTS. Ginnie Murach – DESIGN and LAYOUT. Dian Robinson – FOOD VENDOR. Julie Tracy – GARMENTS. Elaine Paulsen – HOSTESS. Jill Sabol and Ginnie Murach – JUDGING. Sue Barker – MARKETING. Susan Knowles – OPPORTUNITY QUILTS. Jill Sabol – PINS. Smitty – RAFFLE & ADS. Barbara Klaubert – SECURITY. Kelsey Parolini, Sue Barker, Jeannie Carmichael, Susan Knowles – SETUP/ TAKE-DOWN. Irene Dailey – VENDORS. Tammy Riley – YOUTH. And then there are all of us who also helped by volunteering time at the Show to help these committees.



Please give everyone you saw working at the Show a "Thank You." It's a simple and marvelous thing!!

These committees are at the heart of planning and running the show. The show doesn't just HAPPEN, it takes a lot of thought, effort, follow-through, creativity, and work to pull it off in such great style. Our guild's being a part of this show each year is critical to our budget!

I had a good time taking lunches around to vendors – they were all very happy about how they were treated by the Vendor Committee at the show and by all of the show shoppers! Many said that our Seven Sisters Show is the "nicest" quilt show out of all the ones where they set up shop. Isn't that nice?

I hope all of you had as much fun as I did!

SLO Quilter's Opportunity Quiltette Raffle

We received a lot of positive comments about the display at the Seven Sister's Quilt Show, which was created by

Carol Wilcher and Susan Knowles. We raffled 20 quilts and 5 small quilt

stands . . . so we had 25 winners! The first day receipts were about \$250 with a grand total for the weekend of \$440 including \$16 credit card charges. Customs tickets cost \$77.89 and resulted in \$18 in pre-sales. Credit card processing fee was 45 cents. So the net proceeds were \$370.66. Many thanks to the volunteers who created our beautiful mini quilts and helped run our booth.



Community Quilts

Signe James

Work Session: Sunday July 15, 1:00pm to 3-4pm

The August meeting will be our annual program for Community Quilts when we hand out all of those packets and bundles for you to complete at your leisure. This means that a little light work needs to be done ahead of time. So, think about joining us in July for a session of your greatest thrill . . . cutting fabric into lovely 6" squares. The fabric will be all sorted out into color groups or themes so it can easily be divided up into useful packets.

BRING: a mat, ruler and rotary cutter with you. Irons and ironing boards will be available. It's an easy, fun session so think about joining us.

LOCATION: The clubhouse building at the Rancho San Luis Mobile Home Park, [3395 S. Higuera \(corner of S. Higuera and Prado Rd\)](#) in SLO. Thanks for considering this little project to help us out.

Cutting Edge Artists Show

Andi Perejda

Cutting Edge is group of 16 quilt artists, from Lompoc through San Miguel. On August 4, 2018, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., the Cutting Edge group will be hosting a reception for their exhibit of Fabric Art at Studios on the Park, Paso Robles. The

reception will include local wine for sale and live music, as well as gorgeous quilts! Several members of our guild will have quilts on display, which continues through the month of August.

Studios on the Park is located at 1130 Pine Street, across from the downtown park.

All quilts will be for sale at the gallery and additional small quilts and gift items will be also available.

Come enjoy the show!

Budget Vote

Susan Knowles

Your guild officers (Dian, Tammy, SusanK and BarbaraK) are preparing a budget for fiscal year 2018-2019 which will be sent in an email blast to members later in July. Contact an officer to provide your input during this planning process. Please watch for the budget email before the end of July. The vote on the budget is part of the agenda for the August 13 meeting. Please plan to be there.

Meeting Minutes

Barbara Klaubert

Meeting called to order by

President Dian R at 7 PM
Hospitality: Many lovely prizes as always. There are 5 guests this evening.

Membership: Susan K is collecting Membership renewal forms and dues.

Community Quilts: Signe J shared the 23 quilts that were turned in this evening. Community Quilts will be the program in August and in

preparation a cutting session will be held at Signe's Mobile Home Park on July 15th from 1-4pm.

Block of the Month: Karen H showed examples of the finished BOM Mystery quilt and encouraged anyone working on it to bring their blocks to share next month.

Programs: there will not be a meeting in July and in August Community Quilts will present.

Seven Sisters Quilt Show: Jill is selling show pins and admissions wrist bands. Irene asked for committee heads for the 2019 show and acted out the positions in a very entertaining manner. SLO Quilters has 51 quilts entered in the upcoming Quilt show. To pick up quilts immediately after the show meet Karen in the parking lot after 5 pm or get in touch with her on Monday.

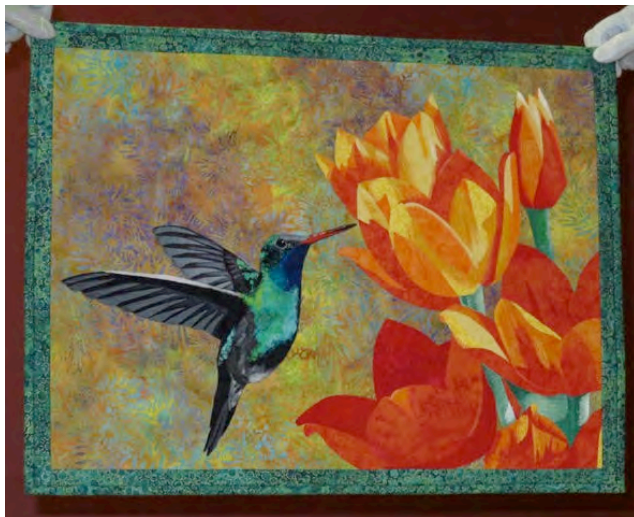
SCCQG The July meeting will be on Leadership and what is needed for guild positions. It will be held July 14 in Santa Barbara and Susan and Dian are going.

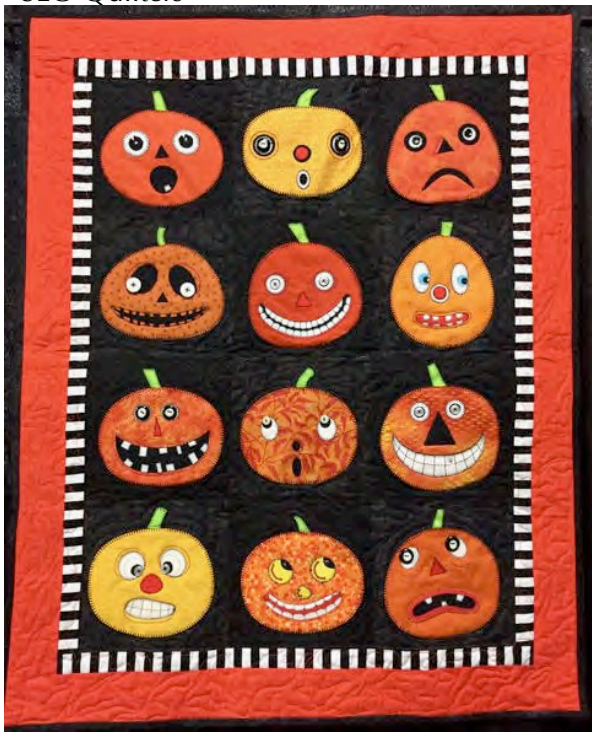
Library Irene has weeded through the old books and they will be available to adopt at 6:30 at the August meeting. Any member who has books of their own they would like to send to a new home can bring them as well.

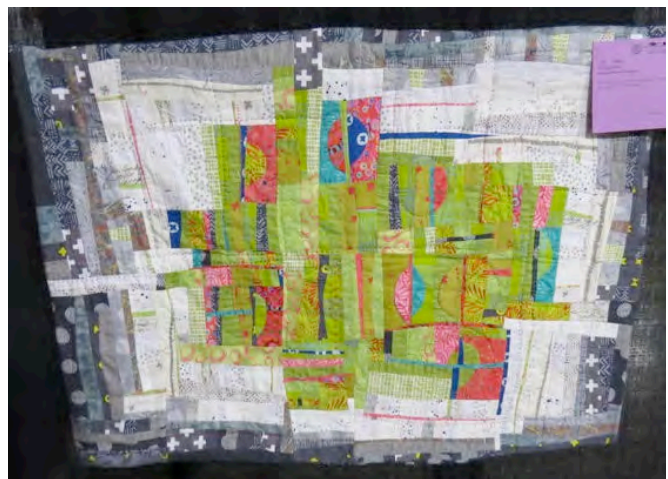
After Show and Tell the meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm. The program by Del Thomas followed.



Quilt show fun!







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No July Meeting

The Congregational Church

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Birch
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805-239-8888 fabricworm.com

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1199 Main Street, Morro Bay
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Quilters' Cupboard
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805-466-6996 quilterscupboard.com

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