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From the President...

Happy October! The leaves are turning bright colors heralding the changing season. Take time to enjoy the weather this month!

Lucinda

From the Vice President...

What a beautiful summer we had. I hope everyone found time to work on their sewing projects.

October is approaching, and I love this time of year and all the pretty bright colored fabrics in fall colors.

This month we have a wonderful teacher, Jeanette Walton, coming to speak for our general meeting lecture, and she will also be leading a workshop on Wednesday the 7th.

Quilting is in Jeanette's DNA. Her mother and grandmother were both quilters. In 2008 Jeanette discovered Judy Niemeyer's amazing designs, and by 2012 she began teaching Judy's patterns at a local shop. She became a certified instructor in 2014 and has exclusively taught Quiltworx patterns.

Jeanette loves to travel and teaches at quilt festivals around the country and internationally. Check out her website for more information—indigobluequilts.com.

November's meeting will be our Demonstration night with several of our members sharing their sewing skills with you. This is a wonderful part of being a guild member—sharing quilting skills with fellow members.

The December meeting is our annual holiday party. If you would like to get involved with the planning and dinner, let me know.

Charlene



NOMINATIONS

We are diligently working to fill positions for the 2027 Executive Board. Please consider serving your guild as an officer. Call either of us with any questions or ideas you may have.

As a reminder, nominations may be made from the floor; however, candidates must give prior consent to be nominated.

Hopefully, there will be a full slate to present to the membership at the October meeting.

Fay Leighton
Linda Molter

Committee Reports...

Community Quilts

In September, we displayed three quilts in public locations: Redding Airport, quilt by Lucinda Williams; Ombudsman's Office, quilt by Diana Peacock; and Shasta County Office of Education, quilt by Michelle Oberlander.

For October, D'Anne Andrews should bring a quilt to the October guild meeting for hanging at the Ombudsman's Office (approx. 45-50" x 60-65"). I'm still looking for an approx. 45" x 60" quilt for SCOE. If you have one, please call Cris Rohn Hartman. I will be passing sign-up sheets for the three locations for 2027 at our October meeting. Please consider signing up to have your quilt displayed in our community. I've been featuring them on our guild's Facebook site, too.

Coloring the Community in Quilts!

Cris

Corresponding Secretary

If you know of any member who is ill or just needs a little sunshine, please let me know.

Ruth

Fat Quarters

We had twenty ladies contribute to the fat quarters' Love Your Neighbor as Yourself campaign drawing "Autumn Inspirations" for September.

The four celebrated winners who each received five beautiful fat quarters were Alice Burris, Cherry McCabe, Pam Egelston, and Lisa Ponce.

CONGRATULATIONS !!!

Thanks to all who participated!

The October 6 meeting theme is "Fall, Thanksgiving (food, decorating, and/or God), and Halloween Fun.

You will receive a drawing ticket for each fat quarter you bring. Alice is a consistent winner because she always contributes more than one fat quarter!

The more you win, the more you may have for playing in a future month.

Suzy

Historian

We Need Your Quilt Show Programs!

I'm working to update our history files and have the Quilt Show programs for:

- 1980 "Happiness is...Quilting"
- 1981 "Patches of Time"
- 1983 "From Our House to Your House"
- 1984 "Star of the Show"
- 1986 "100 Years, a piece at a time"
- 1988 "Piece Makers Legacy"
- 1990 "A Wish With Every Stitch"
- 1992 "Timeless Treasures"
- 1994 "Threads Through Time"
- 1996 "Stories Told in Fabric"
- 1998 "Quilts Under Construction"
- 2000 "Timeless Treasures"
- 2002 "A Garden of Quilts"
- 2004 "Wish Upon a Quilt"
- 2010 "Festival of Quilts"

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2026 Appointed Committee Chairs

Community Quilts—Cris Hartman

Correspondence Secretary—Ruth Marks

Digital Media (website, Facebook, Instagram)—Sue Vanderwerf

Dollar Block—Chris Smith and Jennie Nolasco

Education—Kimber Rickey

Fat Quarters —Suzy Jeffers

Historian—Sue Vanderwerf

Library—Leah Grant and Gayle Hastings

Opportunity Quilt—Lynn Smith and Janie Dillion

Philanthropic—Amy Seibert

Property Manager—Kathy Saukko

Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter—Linda Molter

Shasta District Fair—Lynn Smith

Special Projects—Margaret Ward

Ways & Means—Cherry McCabe, Kim Cash, and Jenny Webb

- 2012 "A River of Quilts"
- 2014 "Quilting in the Golden State"
- 2016 "Feather Your Nest with Quilts"
- 2018 "Piecing Our Past and Future"
- 2024 "Quilters' Salute to the Sundial Bridge"
- 2026 "Quilt America - 250 Years of Creativity"

If YOU have the following Quilt Show programs, please bring them to the next QSR general meeting that you attend and share them with me! I'd love to keep them in our History file, but if you want to keep it, I can scan it/them and return the item(s) to you.

- 2006 ?
- 2008 ?
- 2020 ?
- 2022 ?

Many thanks!

Sue

Library

Thank you to everyone who stopped by the Library at our September meeting!

Be sure to check out a book for some fresh inspiration, and don't forget our monthly book drawing. Your participation helps us continue adding new books to our collection.

Happy quilting!

Leah and Gayle

Opportunity Quilt

Our Opportunity Quilt has been on the move. Janie took the quilt to Annie's Star Quilt Guild (Chico) on September 3 and to Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild (Lakeport) on September 12. It will next be at the Honey Bee Festival in Palo Cedro on September 26-27. (Did you know this festival is considered to be the largest craft fair in Shasta County?)

Lynn & Janie

Philanthropic

Greetings to all you generous and kind members!

Once again, your faithfulness was on display at our September meeting where you collectively donated 16 finished quilts of various sizes. And they were all so beautiful! Kudos to everyone involved.

All the block kits I brought were taken home for completion. Thank you for helping with this. I want to give a special thanks to Marjorie Lorenson who remembered I mentioned I was using so many sandwich bags and brought me a Costco multipack of them. Way to go Marjorie, your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated!

OK, as far as donations go, we provided 19 twin quilts to *Sleep in Heavenly Peace* for the children's beds they are building. Their president, Steve Brooks, was so appreciative and tells me the kids really love the quilts we are providing. We are also on track for our *Adopt-a-Child* Christmas project and have sufficient quilts on hand for this heartwarming effort.

Thank you all again for your time and talents you so generously share.

Amy

Publicity

September 26-27 (Sat. 10-5, Sun. 10-4) Walnut Creek: Diablo Valley Quilters 2026 Quilt Show, Shadelands Center for Community Arts, 111 N. Wiget Lane, Walnut Creek CA. Admission \$12.

September 26-27 (Sat. 8-5, Sun. 8-3:30) Honeybee Festival, 21893 Old 44 Drive, Palo Cedro October 3-4, Mother Lode Quilters Guild Show, Sutter Creek Auditorium, Sutter Creek, CA.

October 9-11, River City Quilters Guild Quilt Show, Scottish Rite Masonic Center, 6151 H Street, Sacramento. Admission \$10 for all three days; free under 18 years. Free parking!

October 16-18, Angels Camp Quilt Faire, Calaveras County Fairground. \$10 admission for all three days.

October 17-18 (10 am – 4 pm) Rainbows in Paradise, Paradise Elks Lodge, 1100 Elks Lane, Paradise CA.

November 7-8 (Sat 10 am – 5 pm, Sun 10 am – 4 pm), Annie's Star Quilt Guild, "Harvest of Quilts," Silver Dollar Fairgrounds, Commercial Building, Chico, CA.

Diana

Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter

The next quarterly meeting of QGNQ will be on Saturday, October 31, in Oroville and is hosted by the Oroville Piecemakers' Guild. This is the last meeting for 2026. If you would like to go, please contact me and I will give you the details when I get them. Arlene Arnold, who presides over the meeting, said "we are to dress appropriately for the date that the meeting is on. No fooling!"

ALSO, OUR GUILD WILL BE HOSTING THE QGNQ MEETING ON APRIL 24, 2027. THE COMMITTEE FOR THIS EVENT IS ASKING THE MEMBERSHIP TO DONATE PIECES OF COTTON FABRIC CUT TO 8" X 11". THIS WILL BE USED AS PART OF THE GIFTS GIVEN TO ATTENDEES OF THE MEETING. THERE WILL BE A BOX AT THE WORKSHOP TABLE TO START THE COLLECTION. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

Linda Molter

Ways & Means

Thank you for continuing to support the Ways and Means raffle baskets! Winners at the September general meeting were Lisa Ponce, Susanne Schulz, Janet Cunningham, Dorothy Voss, Lucinda Williams, and Nancy Finck.

We have more beautiful gift baskets lined up and look forward to seeing you at the next general meeting!

Cherry, Jenny & Kim

Workshops

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7:

Quiltworx paper pieced pattern of WOVEN RIBBON STAR. Teacher is Jeanette Walton coming to us from the state of Georgia. Her website is Indigo Blue Quilts. The class will be at Sew Simple here in town at 2223 Larkspur Ln. Arrival time is 9 a.m. and class will be from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. There is pre-class prep work to be done so you will not be able to sign up at the general meeting. You must call me to get the pattern prior to the meeting. As of today (9/15/26) there is one space open.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14:

One of our past members will be teaching us "The Art of Upcycling Scraps." Teacher is Kathy Kadar Pauletich. She taught this class last year to a different group, and they praised her and asked that we invite her to teach at our guild. The end product is a beautiful, unique, textured, colorful piece of cloth that will be 12x14 inches. A very fun, easy class that will change the way you look at scraps. The venue is Sew Simple here in town. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Come to the Workshop table at the general meeting to see the sample, sign-up, and get your supply list.

Linda Molter

Quilt Bash News

11th Biennial Quilt Bash

June 3-6, 2027

The Bash planning team is working hard on this event for guild members as well as those traveling from near and far. Known as an "EVENT" by quilters, we have a great reputation for sponsoring a fun-filled four days of quilting, activities, demos, vendors, block drawings, and wonderful baskets to buy chances on. And last but not least, we have a live auction of quilt-related items donated by our attendees with proceeds going to *Reach for Recovery* (breast cancer patients) for Northern CA which is a division of the Cancer Society.

Entries for this event will appear on the guild's website on January 1, 2027. The entries must be mailed in as its postmark date will decide who will be lucky enough to be part of our event!

I'm looking for two members who would like to be on our planning team. Surely there is someone out there who would like to help out! This is what I'm looking for:

- Front table/sign in ... only needed the first day, you do not have to be attending to be part of the committee
- Demonstrations: You will be in charge of finding four people to demo a product, technique, or whatever. It could be a vendor coming or an individual.

Both positions need to come to all Quilt Bash planning meetings held almost monthly to know what's happening and to help us get ready for 125 quilters who will be eager to be part of this event.

Please contact me if you are interested. We would love to have someone step up and help us out.

Linda Ballard



Gift Bags for Bash Campers

We know that Bash 2027, June 3-6, is months away, but we also know that time is flying by!

We are asking for help from Guild members to make our gift bags for the campers fun and useful. We need 130 of the following items:

Post-it Notes – any color - 3x3 or smaller



Snip Scissors Available at Amazon as well as other places.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Janet Barabe or Karen Flatbush.

Janet and Karen
Gift Bags Chairpersons

Saturday Fun Day News

Saturday Fun Days continue to be a great opportunity to sew, visit, share ideas, and spend time with quilting friends.

Bring a project, your sewing machine, and your lunch, and join us for the next Fun Day on September 19, 2026, beginning at 9 a.m. in the Shasta College Cafeteria. Park in the North parking lot.

Whether you get a lot accomplished or spend more time visiting, it's all part of the fun!

Your Fun Day Team

Become a Fun Day Sponsor!

It's easy to support the Saturday Fun Days. There is an option to sponsor the full day or co-sponsor a half day. All are welcome.

Contact Leah Grant for more information.

Development Committee

The Development Committee continues working on ideas to create a more active, welcoming, and fun future for our Guild.

We're looking at new events and opportunities as well as ways to make it easier for members to volunteer and participate.

Our goal is simple: more opportunities to quilt, learn, volunteer, build friendships, and have fun together.

Your Guild Development Committee

Support Our Local Quilt Shops

Blue Iris Quilt Shoppe

MON-SAT 9 am-4 pm
9348 Deschutes Road, Palo Cedro

Hokema's

MON-FRI 10 am-5:30 pm SAT 10 am-4 pm
2736 Bechelli Lane, Redding

The Sewing Room (Crafters Mall)

MON-FRI 9 am-4 pm SAT 10 am-3 pm
2453 Athens Avenue, Redding

Sew Simple

MON-FRI 9 am-4 pm SAT 9 am-3 pm
2223 Larkspur Lane, Redding



September Member Spotlight on D'Anne Andrews



D'Anne has been a long-time quilter, having started in 1992. In Solvang, a work friend taught children to quilt after school, and D'Anne kindly began helping her. That was the start of her quilting passion.

D'Anne says her favorite part of quilting is piecing. Although she claims she is not confident with color choices, her work proves otherwise, showing a lovely sense of color as well as excellent piecing skills, appliqué expertise, and beautiful quilting.

For years she took her projects with her on vacations to get them done. Sewing at a picnic table in a campground was a great way to make friends with other campers.

The first quilt she shared was done in Blaine, Washington in about 2013. Inspired by Linda Symons, a Sew-Ciety member who would bring her blanket stitch appliqué quilts to board meetings, D'Anne's work features a beautiful appliquéd four-corner tulip design in pinks, plums and oranges with lovely contrasting blue, mustard, and brown accents.

D'Anne enjoyed watching Simply Quilts with Alex Anderson. Her second quilt was motivated by Sharon Rexford's demonstration of an interesting use of doilies in quilts on that show. D'Anne shopped thrift stores for these vintage materials and created a large, multifaceted quilt with a central floral arrangement, surrounding squares featuring the lace pieces, and colorful striped borders.

This all-around quilter is also our guild's amazing newsletter editor.

An office worker/secretary for 40 years, D'Anne is highly skilled at desktop publishing. We are so grateful for the excellent newsletters that keep us informed about the latest happenings in the local quilt world.

Thank you, D'Anne, for your service to the guild and for sharing your wonderful work with us.

Lisa Ponce



2026 Calendar

- Sep 19 Saturday Fun Day at Shasta College, 9 am – 4 pm (come and go or come and stay!)
- Oct 6 General Meeting, 6:30 pm @ Senior Center
- Oct 7 Workshop: Quiltworx Woven Ribbon Star, 9 am to 3:30 @ Sew Simple quilt shop
- Oct 13 Board Meeting, 5:30 pm @ Senior Center
- Oct 17 Saturday Fun Day at Shasta College, 9 am – 4 pm (come and go or come and stay!)
- Oct 31 QGNQ Meeting, @ Oroville Piecemakers, Oroville
- Nov 3 General Meeting: Demos, 6:30 pm @ Senior Center
- Nov 7 Workshop: "The Art of Upcycling Scraps," 9 am to 3 pm @ Sew Simple quilt shop
- Nov 10 Board Meeting, 5:30 pm @ Senior Center
- Nov 21 Saturday Fun Day at Shasta College, 9 am – 4 pm (come and go or come and stay!)
- Dec 1 General Meeting, 6:30 pm @ Senior Center (Holiday Social)
- Dec 8 Board Meeting, 5:30 pm @ Senior Center
- Dec 19 Saturday Fun Day at Shasta College, 9 am – 4 pm (come and go or come and stay!)



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Guild Website



www.Facebook

Monthly Board Meeting

All members are welcome to attend Board meetings which are held in the front room at the Senior Center at 5:30 pm the second Tuesday of the month. Join us for monthly reporting and planning time for the Guild. Copies of meeting minutes and monthly financial reports are available at the Library side table. Please contact Tammie Thomas for the financial reports.

NOTE: Anyone wishing to address the Board or the membership on Guild matters at either a general or board meeting should contact the President prior to either meeting to be placed on the agenda.

September Meeting Attendance

Members	91
Guests	3
Junior Members	1
Total Attendance	95

2026 Membership

Members	162
Lifetime Members	5
Junior Members	2
Total Membership	169

Winners of our September membership drawing were Kathleen Hackney and Fay Leighton!



- Oct 1 Jessica Moore
- Oct 4 Christine Mayerchak
- Oct 6 Lizabeth Silvio
- Oct 7 Karen Griffith
- Oct 10 Bonnie Anguiano
Linda Ballard
- Oct 15 Linda Foster
- Oct 16 Karen Flatbush
- Oct 17 Marcia Mozzochi
- Oct 19 Marylyn Fogerson
Jo Richardson
- Oct 22 Lynn Wilen
- Oct 31 Rebecca Shaw



September Show & Tell



Collage Workshop Projects



Courtney's Quilt



Patty is ready to travel!!

MAKE WHAT MATTERS

Redding Fashion Alliance *Fashion Fabric Boutique*

The Redding Fashion Alliance offers affordable access to fashion, sewing, and business education, while fostering the growth of our creative economy.

- Design Studio & Maker Space Available
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- Scholarship and Mentorship Programs

The Fashion Fabric Boutique carries quality fabrics and supplies curated for unique designs

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welcome you and
see what you
make...*

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Next Meeting
Tuesday,
October 6
6:30 p.m.
at the Redding Senior
Citizen's Hall
2290 Benton Drive

Doors open at 6:00 p.m. for
general membership. Committee
Chairs and Special Needs only
may enter early.

- ✓ **Name Badge**
- ✓ **Fat Quarter**
- ✓ **Two Dollar Block**
- ✓ **Row & In/Out Robins**
- ✓ **Quilts for Show & Tell**
- ✓ **Library Book**



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The specific purpose of this corporation is to contribute to the growth and knowledge of quilting techniques, patterns, history and quilt making by providing educational meetings, fun and fellowship. Sponsor and support quilting activities. Encourage quilt making and collecting. Promote the appreciation and knowledge of fine quilts. Contribute to the community through philanthropic quilts and assist charitable organizations.

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