

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County



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April Calendar—2009

April 2009

- 1 BUSINESS MEETING (7:00 - 9:00PM)
Quilt Show Entries Deadline.
Quarterly Attendance Award (Jan, Feb, March)
UFO Challenge Show.
- 15 ANNUAL AUCTION! (7:00 - 9:00PM)
- 18 WORKSHOP (9:00AM - 4:00PM)
Sewing Sew-cial, any time all day.
Lodge Room at Vet's Bldg.
- 25 WORKSHOP (10:00AM - 3:00PM)
Basic Skills - Catherine de la Cruz.
Laguna Water Treatment Plant.

May 2009

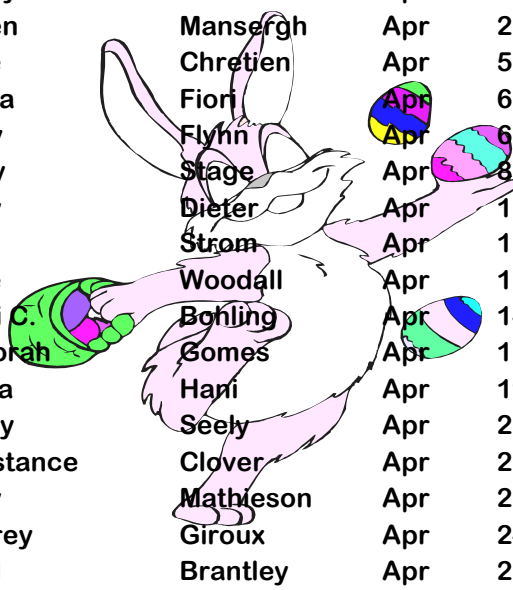
- 6 BUSINESS MEETING (7:00 - 9:00PM)
Select Nominating Committee.
Medallions go to 5th participant.
- 9 WORKSHOP (10:00AM - 3:00PM)
Basic Skills; Nancy Samples
"Quilt Finishing."
- 20 PROGRAM MEETING (7:00 - 9:00PM)
Joy-Lily: "Dyeing to Tell You."
- 23 WORKSHOP (9:00AM - 4:00PM) Joy-Lily
Dyeing, discharging and Over-dyeing.
First Presbyterian Church.

June 2009

- 3 BUSINESS MEETING (7:00 - 9:00PM)
- 4 QUILT SHOW ENTRY DROP OFF.
(6:00 - 7:30PM) at Dining Room.
- 5 QUILT SHOW SET-UP (Noon - 3:00PM)
- 6-7 **WINE COUNTRY QUILT SHOW**
Saturday, 10:00AM - 5:00PM &
Sunday, 10:00AM - 4:00PM.
- 7 QUILT SHOW PICKUP (5:00-6:00PM)
- 15 BOARD MEETING (6:00 - 8:00PM)
Village Sewing Center.
- 17 PROGRAM MEETING (7:00 - 9:00PM) TBA.
- 20 WORKSHOP - To Be Announced.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Susan	Bishop	Apr	1
Susan	Blair	Apr	2
Marilyn	Lira	Apr	2
Karen	Mansergh	Apr	2
Elsie	Chretien	Apr	5
Lorna	Fiori	Apr	6
Mary	Flynn	Apr	6
Patty	Stage	Apr	8
Judy	Dieter	Apr	12
Ann	Strom	Apr	12
Lline	Woodall	Apr	13
Terri C.	Bohling	Apr	14
Deborah	Gomes	Apr	17
Tricia	Hari	Apr	19
Kathy	Seely	Apr	20
Constance	Clover	Apr	22
Judy	Mathieson	Apr	22
Audrey	Giroux	Apr	24
Eisal	Brantley	Apr	25
Joy	Lee	Apr	25
DeeDee	Long	Apr	28
Michelle	Proto	Apr	30



ANNUAL AUCTION

Come to our "**Once-a-Year MQSC Auction**" in the auditorium of the Veteran's Hall. The Auction starts at 7:00 p.m. and it will run until EVERYTHING is sold. There will be a Bubbly Live Auction, Silent Auction items, and Garage Sale Finds! Fabrics, Baskets, Notions and Gifts. Hospitality beverages and snacks. Get some new project ideas, rejuvenate your stash, and help fund all the other activities of our Guild. See you there...
Donna Hinshaw

PRESIDENT'S GREETINGS

Dear Members,

Spring is around the corner and aren't the vineyards beautiful? We are so fortunate to live in such a beautiful place and I am especially reminded of that this time of year.

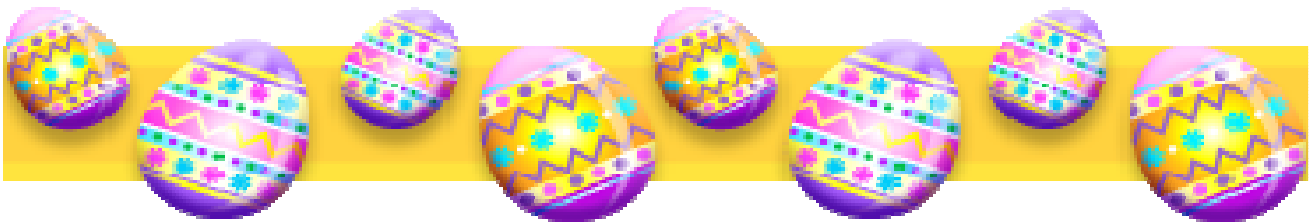
This also conjures all kinds of color combinations, new inspirations, and fresh ideas for my hobby. I just got back from a long weekend at Bodega with my minigroup. We focused on community quilts, but I still managed to start a new project. Also I'm working to finish my UFO Challenge due April 1. Don't want to have give up yet another five bucks on that!

We have plenty going on in the Guild in March and in April. I am really looking forward to the Tri-Guild Luncheon. Cathy McCool, Ruth Hayes, and their minigroup have done an outstanding job on putting this together for our Guild. Their work makes our Guild look great and I am so appreciative of their dedication.

Another fun "sew day" coming up on April 18, Saturday at the Vets' Building. We had a lot of fun in January. I encourage everyone to take a break and come sew with us. Thanks to Dena Harding for organizing all of that.

I wish you all a wonderful, happy spring, full of color and all that inspires your creative juices!

Sincerely,
Kay Cohn, President



TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal year as of Mar 16 2009:

Income:	\$ 9,887.36
Expenses:	<u>10,033.87</u>
Cash balance:	\$16,814.33
Net Income	\$ -146.51

Expenses include Meeting Rent paid through June 2009 and Program/workshop Rent paid through May 2009.

Gina Stateler-Calhoun,
Treasurer



SUNSHINE

All members are sending warm thoughts to Rose Marie Lara who broke her hip and is recovering from surgery. Get well soon! If you know of a guild member that could use a card or phone call, please let me know via phone or e-mail.

The winner of the March birthday drawing was Kathy Rathbun. Kathy won a beautiful trio of Blank Fabrics fat quarters, courtesy of Ginnie Isaacson and a quilt pattern, courtesy of the guild. You must be an active member and present to win unless the meeting is your actual birthday.

If you are a newer member, ask for me at the door at the next business meeting and a membership chair will direct you to me. I would be happy to take you around and show you all of the fun activities that are available to our members.

As always, keep smiling!

Cynthia Bessonon,
Sunshine Chair

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Dear Ladies and Gents,

We are well on our way to our goal of 275 quilts. So far we have 152 quilts. A small number of our members have turned in many quilts and a large number haven't turned in any. You all know who you are. All we ask is 1 quilt a year. The good news is you have until August. There's plenty of time, but NO more excuses.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 18 as our next *Sewing Social*. If you missed the last one in January, you sure don't want to miss this one. We'll start at 9:00AM and finish at 4:00PM. Come early for good seats, especially if you want to sit with a group. The goal is to

get some sewing done and have fun, too. We'll have fabric and kits for Community Quilts, but feel free to bring your current projects.

The goal is to socialize, sew and enjoy old and new friends. There is only one requirement, bring 1 yard of good quality fabric; old or new, it doesn't matter. We'll put the fabric into brown paper bags and have a secret fabric exchange. You don't have to participate, but you might be sorry if you miss out on all the fun.

Thank you to everyone who's turned in a quilt or quilts. Your community is done!

Sincerely, Dena Harding & Barbara Southard

FRIENDSHIP BLOCKS

As mentioned at the March Business Meeting, here's a list of those who've signed out Friendship Blocks, but have yet to complete and turn them in.

Sonoma County Appliqué for Pat Meiswinkel: Phyllis Gallaway, Karen Mansergh and Sharon Sullivan.

Duck Lake - Foundation Pieced for Kerry Mertle: Genie Becker, Cynthia Bessonon(2), Gail Goldoor, Cecile Clabaugh and Terri Bohling.

Scrap Basket for Cindy Chadwick: Jan Crowe, Phyllis Gallaway, Catherine Sanders, Sue Cole, Kathleen Tarmann and Deborah Gomes.

Tree of Life for Deana Abramowitz: Audrey Giroux, Kerry Mertle and Kathleen Tarmann.

1000 Pyramids for Donna Hinshaw: Ann Hines, Chelsea Charlton, Justine Lott, Karin Beam, Karen Derrick, Kathleen Tarmann and Trina Jahnsen.

Please, let us know if any of the information is in error. If you have already returned your blocks, let us know to prevent embarrassment.

A gentle reminder; prompt completion and return of Friendship Blocks to the Friendship Block Chair is expected. If, for any reason, you're unable to complete the Block in a timely manner (sixty days maximum), *please* don't hesitate to return the Block Kit back to the Friendship Block Chair so it can be made available to someone else.

Feel free to call us with any questions.
Norma Jean Edwards and Jeanne Baron.

HISTORIAN

I've posted photos from the February and March meetings, and the Baltimore Quilt class.

They are located at:

<http://community.webshots.com/user/moonlightquilters>.

Debby Bainbridge,
debeke@sbcglobal.net

APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL AND QUILT SHOW



The trees are in bloom – so that means the Apple Blossom Festival is just around the corner! (April 25 - 26.) We hope to be selling tickets to our Opportunity Quilt at the Festival. We need your help with that. Are you willing to help us sell tickets? If so, please contact Debby Bainbridge (debeke@sbcglobal.net) or Mary Deadman (marymary9385@sbcglobal.net). Thank you!

SPRING TEA PARTY TRI-GUILD LUNCHEON

Thanks to all of those who have volunteered to help make Tri-Guild Luncheon an extra special event on Saturday, March 28 at First Presbyterian Church on Pacific Ave in Santa Rosa. Your support of the raffle table and donations of baskets for the raffle table will greatly help defray our costs.

All MQSC members who volunteered to help at the Tri-Guild Luncheon should have received specific information about the role they volunteered for. If you have volunteered and did not receive this information or if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Cathy McCool at cmccool318@hotmail.com, or call Ruth Hays at 539-4301.

If your plans change and for some reason, you find you cannot attend the luncheon, please let us know as soon as possible so that we can arrange for someone else to fill your seat and your volunteer role. We expect to notify those on the waiting list in the third week in March about available seating.

See you at the Tri-guild Luncheon...
Thank You!

T.G.L. Planning Committee -Rita Haley, Cathy McCool, Ruth Hays, Nancy Kuhn, Susan Bishop & Deana Abramowitz.

MARCH SHOW & TELL

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| 1) Carol Jarvis | Wine Country Cabin & Jacket |
| 2) Barbara Splaine | "Shoes for Beth" |
| 3) Judy Hawkins | Garden Flowers |
| 4) Judith Brooks | Halloween table runner |
| 5) Terry Bohling | Monthly Button Up |
| 6) Nancy Kuhn | "Pink Sherbet" |
| 7) Teach Guerrini | "Evening Light in Dry Creek Valley" |
| 8) Donna Hinshaw | Community quilts-Trip Around World, Bright Jelly Roll |
| 9) Judy Mathieson | Sunshine & Shadow, Sheep & Sheep Dog |
| 10) Dena Harding | Handmade Memories |
| 11) Deb Gomes | "Maggie the Meek and Wonderful" |
| 12) Michelle Proto | Strip quilted bag |

Judy Hawkins won the Show & Tell drawing (fat quarters).

There will be no Star Quilter in April. Instead, there will be UFO Challenge!

Mary Deadmann,
Show & Tell Chair

BLOCK OF THE BLOCK

Twenty "Whimsy Flowers" were turned in at the March business meeting and the winners were Laura Bernstein and Kay Hawkins. Congratulations!

The April block, due on the April 1st is "Star Cat." Instructions are posted on the web site along with a photo of a finished block. This is an easy block - good for beginners and a snap for the more experienced quilter. Have fun.
Evelyn Taylor

QUILT SHOW VOLUNTEERS

Hopefully you have received your volunteer form for the Quilt Show either at the guild meeting or through our website. If not, you can pick one up at the next guild meeting. Everyone seems to have a good time working at the show, with the added bonus of free admission to the show for both days when you volunteer. If you can believe it, we also provide lunch for our volunteers! If you are new to the guild and have questions about the jobs or times available, don't hesitate to give me a call and ask questions. The success of the show is very dependent upon the volunteers and the many hours they give. I would like it if everyone could volunteer for a minimum of one shift. Thankfully, there are a number of you who are extremely generous with your time. Volunteer forms are due by May 6. I'd ask that you get them to me as soon as you can so that I can start coordinating all of your requests. If you have any questions please call. Vicki David, 539-3171

MEMBERSHIP

Three new members joined the Moonlight Quilters last month. It sounds like our New Member Social was a success. The newest quilters are Judy Hawkins and Sarah Whinton. Freddi Palmer also returned to our guild.

Welcome All!

Joanne Thomas, Membership Chairperson

WINE COUNTRY QUILT SHOW

JUNE 6 - 7, 2009

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma Country's "Wine Country Quilt Show" is the premiere quilt show of the North Bay, if not all of Northern California!

For those who receive this newsletter online, there is still time to submit your application to enter your quilt. Entries to the show, with an 4" x 6" photo stapled to back are due April 1st. Show off your work! The application forms may be downloaded from our website at www.MQSC.org Volunteer forms are also available, downloadable from the website, and are due May 7.

Volunteers have free entry into the show on both days, and are also welcome to participate in lunch in the hospitality room. Volunteering at the show is a lot of fun.

Help! Help! As of the time this article was submitted to the newsletter editor, we still don't have Hospitality coordinators. This would be a great thing for a mini-group??? The Hospitality Chair-group is responsible for putting out the potluck sign-ups sheets, coordinating the flow of beverages and potluck items into the hospitality room, and organizing the construction of the salads on Friday, Saturday and Sunday (June 5-7).

Please, please, we need some generous quilters to step up to the plate. Diane and Maureen, who filled this role last year, will be available as coaches.

For more information, contact Phyllis Gallaway at: pmgallaway@sbcglobal.net or Joanie Bellinghausen at: jbelling523@sbcglobal.net.

BASIC SKILLS WORKSHOP

April 25: REVERSABLE QUILT—
Catherine De La Cruz.
Stitch a two-sided quilt easily.

May 9: FINISHING TIPS —
Nancy Samples. Sashing, lattice, borders and binding.

Call me for a list of sewing supplies to bring to the Water Treatment Plant at 4300 Llano Road, Santa Rosa. Drive west on Hwy. 116 from Cotati, then north on Llano Rd.

Gina Stateler-Calhoun,
Basic Skills Coordinator
ginaquilt@hotmail.com

QUILT SHOW ENTRIES

Hello Members;

So far, I have *very few quilt show entries* (only 24) for our Annual Quilt Show. So please ladies, get your quilts together, complete a form and mail it to me (my address in on the form). The form is available on line at www.mqsc.org under Quilt Show. It is a *pdf* file that you should be able to print out. For a full size form, use legal (8 1/2" x 14") paper. There are also forms available at the meetings. I can email one to you, just let me know. Be sure to keep the lower portion of the form - it is the label for your quilt.

If you have any questions, please let me know.
We need your entries to make this quilt show happen.

Thank you,
Joanne Thomas
jthomas@sonic.net or 707-528-3559



MOONLIGHT STRIPPERS & FAT QUARTER FRENZY!

April showers bring flowers and rainbows. Anything rainbow colored or spring flowered will do for the Strips and our Fat Quarter Frenzy.

Strips are 2 1/2 in. wide by approx. 22 in. long (fat quarter size). Put into a baggie with your name and the number of strips enclosed written on the bag. Drop off at the start or the meeting and collect at break or after the end

of the meeting.

Fat Quarter Frenzy is bring a fat quarter, put your name on a ticket, place the ticket in the can and the fat quarter in the basket and hope your name will be drawn to win the fat quarters collected.

Donna Cambra,
Ultimate Stripper



MAY WORKSHOP

Quilting with deLight and Northern Lights.

We will meet at the First Presbyterian Church, 1550 Pacific Ave in Santa Rosa. The change of venue is so we will have access to water. Joy-Lily will guide us through the intricacies of gradient dyeing (*Quilting with deLight*) and discharge techniques (*Northern Lights*).

In the morning, we will get messy *Quilting with deLight*, as we learn to paint fat quarters of quilt fabric that change smoothly from dark to light all on the same piece, with a simple quick-dye technique.

In the afternoon, we'll enjoy the *Northern Lights* as we use both dye and discharge to create effects that mimic galaxies, neon images, Aurora Borealis, bioluminescence and batik. Color and bleach will be applied to

dark cottons together in a single step, revealing glowing colors on dark backgrounds.

All dyeing/resist supplies are included. There is no kit fee. Students provide only to provide their yardage.

Mary Flynn
Nancy Samples
Program
Chairs



Moonlight Quilters Sonoma County
Minutes of Meeting
March 4, 2009

At 7:06 pm, President Kay Cohn called the meeting together and welcomed three guests; 101 members plus three new members: Judy Hawkins, Freddi Palmer and Sarah Whitton. The name tag drawings were won by Carol Jarvis and Catherine Sanders.

Minutes – On motion by Karen Mansergh and second by Cindy Chadwick the February meeting minutes were approved as published in the newsletter.

Treasurer's Report – Gina Stalder-Calhoun reported that the Guild has a cash balance of \$18,689.59. She also said that the actual-to-budget is going well, but that the Guild is beginning the time when we begin to incur significant expenses for the Quilt Show and the Tri-guild Luncheon. The Auction Fundraiser will bring in additional revenue and the Luncheon Raffle income will help offset that expense.

General Announcements

Joann Thomas announced:

The Empty Spools seminars still has space available in session 4, April 19 and session 5, August 30. Judy Mathison will teach in session 4.

Top Stitchers, long arm quilters, are having a stimulus special: full size \$50, queen \$60, king \$75 for all over patterns. This offer is good through April 30.

The Cloverdale library is having a quilt exhibit through the end of April.

Opportunity Quilt - Mary Deadman asked for members' support and to pick up raffle tickets to sell. It is one of the primary ways members support the guild.

Tri-Guild Luncheon – Kathy McCool urged members who may need to cancel to do so as soon as possible so that waitlisted people can be notified of openings. Volunteers should have received an e-mail from Cathy and to contact her if not. Deadline for baskets is the program meeting on March 18. Please include an inventory of the contents. Call Nancy Kuhn to make arrangements if a basket cannot be ready by March 18.

Auction – Donna Hinshaw announced that volunteers are needed and to please contact her. Donations are still being accepted. Auction prep. meetings are being held at Pelican Art in Petaluma on alternate Wednesdays from the Guild meetings and on Saturdays when Sheri Lang is there.

Sewing Social - Dena Harding announced the next sewing day will be on Saturday, April 18 from 9 a.m. to 4p.m. at the Veterans hall. Bring any project or, to participate in an exchange, bring one yard of good quality fabric and exchange that for a brown bag with unknown contents.

Quilt Show – Phyllis Gallaway reminded members to pick up and distribute post cards and bookmarks to promote the show, which is the first weekend in June. Sarah Rathbun was applauded for doing the post cards. Phyllis asked for referrals for a food vendor. Hospitality will again be a potluck but needs to have a chair to keep track of who is signing up to bring food and funnel food in and

out of the kitchen. Applications for quilt entry are available on line or call Joanne Thomas. This year two-day passes will be available for \$10.

Quilt Show Volunteers – Vicki David ask members to pick up and turn in volunteer forms for the show. She described what jobs need to be done: hanging, intake, security, ticket sales, and hospitality. She invited friends and relatives to volunteer also. She also mentioned the benefits of volunteering: lunch is provided, free entry to the show, free food, plus an opportunity to get acquainted with other guild members.

Quilt Show Boutique – Carolyn Meigs said that members who wish to sell their hand made items in the quilt show boutique should sign up at the first meeting in April. The guild receives 15% of sales proceeds.

Quilt Show Entries - Joann Thomas said entry forms are due April 1. Photos of the quilts should be a maximum of 4 x 6 inches and the top of the quilt and size should be indicated on the photo. Entries can be mailed to Joann.

Old Business

Updating Written Committee and Officer Duties - Kay Cohn reported that a committee is working on updating all officer and committee chair duties to more accurately reflect board actions and present practice. This was necessary because, over time, job descriptions and duties have changed. Rough drafts have been written and a committee will review the drafts March 6. Members are invited to attend.

Committee Reports

Sunshine – Cynthia Besson reported that – Rosemarie Lara broke her hip and is recovering and doing great at Apple Valley Rehab. in Sebastopol. The March birthday drawing was won by Kathy Rathbun. Program - Mary Flynn announced that Cyndy Rhymer will present photo printing workshop and program in March and in May Joy Lily will be here to do a fabric dying program and workshop.

Community Relations - Dena Harding explained that the Guild makes bag-a-longs and community quilts that are given away each year to community organizations. The 2009 goal is 275 quilts and 149 have been turned in to date. Also, two \$100 grants are available for members who teach or promote quilting in the community.

Fat Quarter and Strippers - Donna Cambra announced that April is pastels so bring fat quarters and 2 1/2" strips to exchange or win. Cecile Clabaugh won the fat quarters.

Newsletter – Kerry Mertle thanked those who got their articles in early and announced that the newsletter web site now has links to 20 other guilds in Northern California.

Medallions - Judy Simerson asked for information about how to contact Betsy Heald. New medallions start in September and will be passed out in the fall.

Library - Sheri Lang said that several new books were in. She also announced that Cindy Chadwick will take over the library with Terry Bohling as assistant.



Meeting Minutes - cont'd
March 4, 2009

Cat and Dog Cuddles - Donna Hinshaw thanked the six people who turned in 12 cuddles.

Friendship Blocks - Norma Jean Edwards announced new friendship blocks for Pat Meiswinkel: Broken Dishes, Indian Star & Monkey Wrench. One block kit for Deana Abramowitz and three kits for Donna Hinshaw are still available.

Opportunity Quilt - Mary Deadman and Laura Bernstein invited members to pick up and buy opportunity quilt tickets and those getting their tickets at this meeting could win a chenille scarf. Packets of block kits are available to pick up in preparation for next year's opportunity quilt, an off center pineapple pattern. Merlene Teresky won the Chenille scarf.

Block-of-the-Month - Laura Bernstein and Kay Hawkins each won 10 blocks of whimsy flowers. The new simple star cat block is due April 4.

Basic Skills Workshop - Catherine de la Cruz is presenting reversible quilting on April 25 and Nancy Samples will present finishing techniques, borders and bindings on May 9. These workshops are free.

UFO Challenge - Phyllis Gallaway said that UFO's are due April 1.

County Fair Demonstration - Phyllis asked members if any want to participate in the county fair quilt demonstration area for shifts of 2 - 4 hours. Volunteers get free entry into the fair. Enough people indicated interest to resurrect Moonlighters participation in the program.

Ways and Means - Drawing winners were: Cynthia Besonen, Vicki Klemm, Donna Cambra, Patty Loucks, Dena Harding and Cecile Clabaugh.

Star Quilter - Donna Cambra - Donna said she has always been interested in needle arts. Her grandmother taught her to sew garments and her mother was a creative

garment sewer. Donna's interest in quilting began while in her teens, but gave up when results were not up to her standards, but over time, was encouraged and taught by members of a minigroup. She showed a rail fence, quilted by hand, a whack and slash, "Rhapsody In Blue" challenge; the big tumble; built in borders; a designer bag; wall hanging; lime challenge; harvest colors challenge; mariner's compass; apron challenge; To the Moon 2007 challenge; mom and dad's safari quilt; Japanese crazy quilt medallion; witches block of the month; red and black pattern for her mother; lucky stars and hearts; medallion purple and gold; music quilt and others. Donna inserts a penny with the year the quilt was finished into the quilt.

General Show and Tell - Quilts and wall hangings included: woodpile; purple and lavenders; vest; red and white; a shoe quilt for a daughter -in-law whose husband is in Afghanistan; a paper-pieced, hand quilted designed on EQ table runner; a quilt a month wall hanging; a pink sherbety for a girl who is going to move into a Habitat for Humanity home; a minigroup challenge; hand-pieced and hand-quilted log cabin; orange cats to be given to the Living Room and Valley of the Moon; landscape called "Evening Light in Dry Creek Valley," a small green one from the Guild's sew day; trip around the world from 80's fabric quilted with the alphabet; Sunshine and Shadow Opportunity Quilt for FHA fund raiser; a finished block from Carol Jarvis' needle turn appliqué class; quilt combination block-of-the-month and a confetti quilt; senior center beautiful stars; and a red and black bag with Japanese fabrics. Habitat for Humanity has a quilt program and a group meets at the Quilted Angel the first Tuesday of the month. Judy Hawkins won the Show and Tell drawing.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
Respectfully Submitted, Geri Cross, Secretary

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Free Motion quilting using a Bernina
w/ditch work and stencils to
enhance the quilt.
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UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2009

April 4 & 5 Foothill Quilters Guild presents 27th Annual Quilt Show "*Once Upon A Time*," Sat 10 - 5, Sun 10 - 4, Gold Country Fairgrounds, 1273 High St, Auburn, CA. Admission \$7.00, Free Parking. Opportunity Quilt Drawing Sunday 3PM, Contact Beth Foust at quilthbeth@hughes.net or 530-878-4448, Jo Names at 530-272-6727 or our website www.foothillquilters.org.

April 4 & 5: Santa Clara Valley Quilt Assn. Santa Clara Convention Center. For more information, contact msqlts@comcast.net

April 15 MCQC Quarterly Meeting (10:30 - 2:00) Community Hall, 320 Civic Dr, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523-1921.

April 18: "Sew What's Haute," 41st Annual Fashion Show, Haute Couture Soci  t   de Stockton at the Hilton Stockton, 2323 Grand Canal Blvd. Garments by members and guest designers. Vendors will open at 9:30am; fashion show at 11:30am. Luncheon to follow. Raffle & silent auction at 1:15pm. For tickets, send \$40.00 check per person to Haute Couture, Patty Morais, 1836 Ramona, Stockton, CA 95204. For info, 209-477-6496 or 209-466-9840 or email budnmaryann@cs.com

April 18 & 19: "Purple Mountain Majesties," Cabin Fever Quilters 17th Annual Show, Sat 10 - 5, Sun 10 - 4, Memorial Hall, Hwy 70, Portola, For info: 530-832-0446.

April 25-26: Sebastopol Apple Blossom Festival and Quilt Show. Sat. 10-6 & Sun 10-5. Info. 823-3032.

April 22-25 : "25th Anniversary Celebration," American Quilter's Society Quilt Show & Contest, Paducah Expo Center. View past *Best of Show* winning quilts at National Quilt Museum. Paducah, Kentucky

April 25 & 26: Seven Sisters Quilt Show. Sat 9 - 5, Sun 9 - 4, Alex Madonna Expo Center, 100 Madonna Rd, San Luis Obispo, CA 93405. www.aggcc.org

April 25 & 26: "Quilted Treasures XIII," Amador Valley Quilters, Sat 10 - 5, Sun 10 - 4. Great event at Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, CA. Admission: \$10, seniors \$8. Free Parking. www.amadorvalleyquilters.org.

May 2009

May 2 & 3: "Springtime in the Pines" Silver Jubilee Quilt Show. Pine Tree Quilt Guild, Nevada County Fairgrounds, 11228 McCourtney Rd, Grass Valley, CA. Admission \$5; Sat 10-5 & Sun 10-4. Door prizes, vendors, silent auction, Opportunity Quilt drawing at 3 pm Sun.

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North California Quilt Council, www.ncqc.net/

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www.petalumaquiltguild.org

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Pleasanton "Amador Rose"
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Redwood City "Peninsula Quilters' Gazette"
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www.rivercityquilters.org

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