



March 2021

# Patchwords

MOONLIGHT QUILTERS OF SONOMA COUNTY ESTABLISHED 1980

## President's Message

Many quilters are also gardeners and I certainly enjoy both hobbies. I particularly appreciate gardening at this time of year. Most chores go quickly and there are noticeable results. As I prune back last season's growth to allow the 2021 garden to emerge, it's rather like taking on some of those UFO's that have been hibernating in our closets and drawers.

I find gardening to be a rather humbling experience and a new challenge each season. Some experiments work and some do not. After a recent day of work in the garden I looked out to see a very active squirrel digging deep holes in raised beds and in the ground. It even went after primroses recently potted up. The birds thought the emerging sweet peas and Iceland poppy foliage a delicious spring time treat. Lesson learned; bird netting is now protecting these plants as well as the lettuce I set out this weekend. Time will tell if this strategy is successful. Still, some things are constant. My "daffodil hill" is emerging right on schedule and will soon bring joyous blooms in abundance.

I continue to be grateful for your commitment to the guild and to rejoice in your creativity. Speakers and classes continue to fill the guild's calendar. In February our speaker took us to Japan and in March we offer you the Panel Palooza class. I hope you identified some UFO's to work on when challenged by our VP. I offer you these wishes as we approach the spring equinox, may your sewing studio continue to inspire you and may you be well.

—Linda Lampsen  
President  
[MQSCPres@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPres@gmail.com)

## CALENDAR

For now, all MQSC Meetings are on Zoom until we can gather in person again

### March 2021

- 1 Board Meeting, 6:30-8:30PM
- 3 Business Meeting, 7-8:30PM
- 5 \*First Friday, 10AM-1PM, at Village Sewing
- 17 Program Meeting: Cyndi McChesney - Panel Palooza, 7-8:30 PM
- 20 Cyndi McChesney Workshopm Part 1, 10AM-12:30PM
- 27 Cyndi McChesney Workshopm Part 2, 10AM-12:30PM

### April 2021

- 2 \*First Friday, 10AM-1PM, at Village Sewing
- 7 Business Meeting, 7-8:30 PM
- 21 Program Meeting, TBA, 7-8:30 PM
- 24 Basic Skills: French Braid Tablerunner with D Ragozzino, 10AM - 3PM

\*depending on stay-at-home orders

## Programs

The March 17th program meeting will be a Zoom presentation from Cyndi McChesney of [Cedar Ridge Quilting](#). Cyndi is a two-time guest on *TheQuiltShow.Com* and is known for her ability to inspire students and for her thorough and detailed teaching style. She is an award-winning long-arm quilter as well as a National Quilt Association Certified Teacher and enjoys diving into a variety of techniques to bring out each student's creativity. Cyndi will be presenting Panel Palooza, a discussion on using panels in your quilting.

On March 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> Cyndi will be the instructor at a two-day Zoom event and will show us how to take that panel you fell in love with at the quilt shop and turn it into something unique. After squaring up your panel pieces Cyndi will guide you on ways to create interesting block and border treatments to take that panel to the next level. The two-day format of this class will give you ample time to work on your creation during the break and bring to the second class for more tips and inspiration. Registration for the class is now available on the Moonlight Quilters website. The cost is only \$40.

Upcoming program meetings will include Mel Beach in June with a discussion on Challenging Yourself and The Material Girlfriends in July with a lecture on How a Quilter is Pieced. You won't want to miss either of these meetings so be sure to mark your calendars now. Mel will be our guest instructor in Free Motion Fillers and Fun on June 19 and the Material Girlfriends will be teaching a class on New York Beauty on July 24. At this time both of these classes are expected to be via Zoom.

Please let me know if there are classes or speakers you would like to have considered for Programs – all ideas are greatly appreciated. You can send an email with suggestions to [MSCPrograms@mqsc.org](mailto:MSCPrograms@mqsc.org).

—Teresa Lewis  
*Program Chair*  
[MQSCPrograms@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPrograms@gmail.com)

## Block of the Month

Congratulations to Dena Abramowitz for her 2nd win in a row!!! She won the Shoo Fly with a Twist! Can't wait to see that finished project!

The March block is Whirling Bunnies! You can find directions at [mqsc.org](http://mqsc.org) under "Things To Do" then "Block of the Month".

Have fun and remember you can leave your squares at Bolt, Village Sewing or send me a photo of the finished block to enter to win!!

—Denise Ragozzino  
*Block of the Month Coordinator*  
[MQSCbom@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCbom@gmail.com)



## Moonlight Quilter of the Month - Helaine Campbell

### My Quilting Journey

Born and raised in Massachusetts I began to appreciate fabric at the early age of 6 when I took a vacation to my aunt's house. They raised chickens so had feed sacks from which she made quilts. I remember sleeping under a quilt with butterflies and spending early wake up hours looking at the different fabric designs. I made my clothes as a teenager and worked in a fabric store. Off to school I went, graduated and took a job in Baltimore and met my husband. As a young married I made curtains and slipcovers. It wasn't until after the birth of two sons and multiple moves around the country that I found us in the suburbs of Chicago where I made wedding gowns and bridesmaid's dresses. I also discovered quilting magazines and did try a few very simple projects. Fast forward to 1972 after the birth of our daughter and we were living in Sebastopol. By this time I was nursing part time and making comforters for family members but very little quilting.

In 1984 we took a company move to Florida and I took my first actual quilting class. I was hooked; I became a fabricaholic and did so much quilting but gave most of it away to friends and family.

Three years later back we came to Sebastopol in 1987 and working full time at a 24/7 job didn't leave much time for anything. That is until in early 2000 when a friend who happened to be a quilter gave me some fat quarters. The flame was relit and although I was working, the kids had moved on so I had a bit more time for quilting.

About 5 years ago I met Marilyn Lira through Rotary and discovered she was also a quilter and that is when she encouraged me to join Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County. I have learned so much from all of you and am so inspired by the art that you produce on an ongoing basis. Thank you.

This past year we took another move after 32 years and now live in Sparks, Nevada just up the road on highway 80. Yes, it's different from Sonoma County but we always make the best of where we land. I have become a member of the Truckee Meadow Quilt Guild but continue my membership in Moonlight Quilters. I really enjoy working on medallions, BOM and the friendships that continue with each project.

—Helaine Campbell



MQSC will not be holding our annual Spring Sale this year. We hope to be able to reconvene in 2022.

—Gina Stateler-Calhoun  
Ways & Means Chair  
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## UFO Challengers

Congratulations to the dozen brave quilters who have accepted the challenge to complete UFOs from their stashes by May 5th.

Teresa Lewis tops the list with these six great entries that we will see at the March Show & Tell: *Kinsley's Heart, Let's Talk Turkey, Henrietta, Spillway, Purple Cow, and Wonky Pines.*

Linda Lampson and I both pledged to finish three UFOs. We are well on our way to finishing the first one. It feels great.

Here are the other challengers:

Marilyn Lira - *Silk and Salvage* class project  
Karen Lavender - Dragonfly wall hanging  
Alys Hay - 128 blocks for *Orbital* quilt  
Karen Mansergh - Bonnie Hunter mystery quilt  
Patti Bassignani - Halloween wall hanging  
Helaine Campbell - quilt top  
Dena Harding - *Hats Off* confetti quilt  
Cyndi Cunningham - *Color Dance*  
Geri Cross - wall hanging from Barbara Confer's class

—Pam Brown  
MQSC Vice President  
[MQSCvp@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCvp@gmail.com)

## Cat and Dog Cuddles

Despite the lockdown, we were able to collect 13 cat cuddles in January. They were thanks to a generous donation from Pam Creason of Diablo Valley Quilters. Photos of her creations are in the Show and Tell file from the February 3 meeting. These cuddles were absolutely adorable with a wide array of cat prints used on both fronts and backs.

Special thanks also go to Deana Abramowitz, Judith Brooks, Dena Harding, Denise Ragozzino and Janske Silva for their donations at the February First Friday. Cuddles will continue to be collected through the First Friday drop offs at Village Sewing, Bolt, and by special arrangement. Cat cuddles should be 17" x 25" to fit in the Forgotten Feline cages. Dog cuddles should be dog sized – anything from small to large dogs.

Thank you for your ongoing support of this project. See you in March!

—Patricia Bauer and Pat Fratis  
Cat/Dog Cuddle Coordinators  
[MQSCCatDogCuddles@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCCatDogCuddles@gmail.com)

## Opportunity Quilt

*Finding Peace in the Pieces* will be on display and tickets available at Bolt Fabric + Home in Cloverdale beginning the first week of March. Bolt is open Tuesday through Saturday, 10-5. The last Friday of each month is Fat Qtr Friday - buy one fat qtr, get one of equal or lesser value for free - in case you need another reason to drive to Cloverdale. As always, if you prefer to make other arrangements to purchase tickets, please call or email.

Thank you for supporting MQSC and let's also give a BIG thank you to Village Sewing for displaying the quilt over these last several months!

Karen Derrick, Dale Yamamura, Trina Jahnsen  
MQSC Opportunity Quilt Marketing Committee  
[MQSCOpportunityQ@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCOpportunityQ@gmail.com)

## Basic Skills

Thanks to Patricia Bauer, our website now has the ability for you to sign up for our Basic Skills classes on line!

The first Basic Skills class will be a French braid table runner taught by our own Denise Ragazzino.

The class will be held on Saturday, April 24th and will be taught via Zoom. Class will begin at 10:00 a.m. and end around 3 p.m. There is a link on the Basic Skills page to the supply list.

To register for the class, go to [mqsc.org](http://mqsc.org), choose “Things To Do” on the menu, and then choose “Basic Skills”. Find the new ‘Sign Up Now’ button listed on the page. You will need to register, one time, to be able to sign up for classes. *When you register, it is important that you use the same email address that is on the MQSC roster in order for the program to recognize that you are a member.* You will receive an email confirming that your registration has been approved.

After you are registered and approved, return to the Basic Skills page and click on the “Go To Classes” button to see the screen that shows all the available classes. Click on the “Book Now” button of the class you wish to take. The program will then send you an email telling you that you have been enrolled in the class.

If you have any questions or problems, email us at [MQSCbasicskills@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCbasicskills@gmail.com) and we will arrange a time to call and help you through the process.

—Patti Bassignani and Karen Lavendar

*Basic Skills Coordinators*

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## Show and Tell

In February our members shared their quilts, blocks, and the cat cuddles collected during the month. We also got to see the projects members will finish for the Vice President's UFO Challenge. Find more info in Vice President Pam Brown's article this month. We have plenty of projects to look forward to seeing come May and the end of the challenge. Can't wait! During our February business meeting, nine of our many talented quilters shared 17 quilts and blocks.

Head over to [mqsc.org](http://mqsc.org) to see all the quilts, blocks, cat cuddles and UFO Challenge starts shared during our meetings. Choose "Things To Do" on the menu and then "Show and Tell".

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| 1. Mary Flynn        | Gonna Keep This One                                    |
| 2. Mary Flynn        | These Are a Few of His Favorite Things                 |
| 3. Mary Flynn        | Summer of Love   |
| 4. Kathy Vedder      | Auburn Retreat Quilt                                   |
| 5. Denise Ragozzino  | Stars and Windows                                      |
| 6. Denise Ragozzino  | The Picnic   |
| 7. Denise Ragozzino  | Cthulhu  |
| 8. Pam Brown         | Sport Themed Community Quilt                           |
| 9. Pam Brown         | Auto Racing Themed Community Quilt                     |
| 10. Michelle Crosbie | Ultimate Beginner Series Quilt                         |
| 11. Michelle Crosbie | My California Home                                     |
| 12. Geri Cross       | Gift for Brother in Law Fighting Cancer                |
| 13. Jim Haws         | Leaf Quilt   |
| 14. Patti Bassignani | A Little Light   |
| 15. Saraj Cory       | January block #1 for National Quilt Museum Quilt Along |
| 16. Saraj Cory       | January block #2 for National Quilt Museum Quilt Along |
| 17. Saraj Cory       | February block for National Quilt Museum Quilt Along   |
| 18. Patricia Bauer   | The eleven cat cuddles collected during January        |

Karen Perlis and Pat Bernard  
*Show & Tell Coordinators*  
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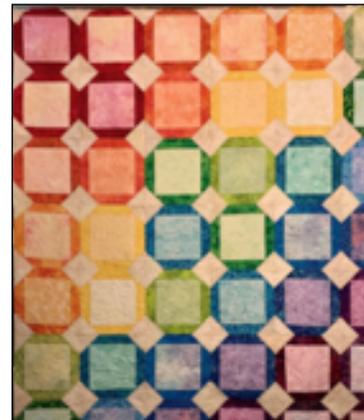
Gonna Keep This One.



Mary Flynn:  
...Favorite Things.



Summer of Love



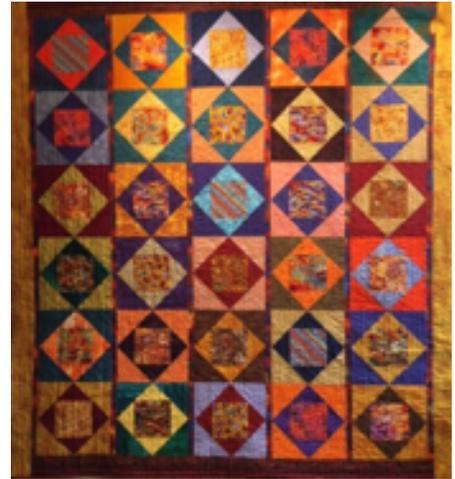
# Show and Tell



Kathy Vedder:  
Auburn Retreat Quilt



Geri Cross:  
Gift for Brother in Law



Denise Ragozzino:  
Stars and Windows,  
Cthulhu, The Picnic



Saraj Cory: National Quilt Museum blocks of the month - Jan #1, Jan #2, Feb

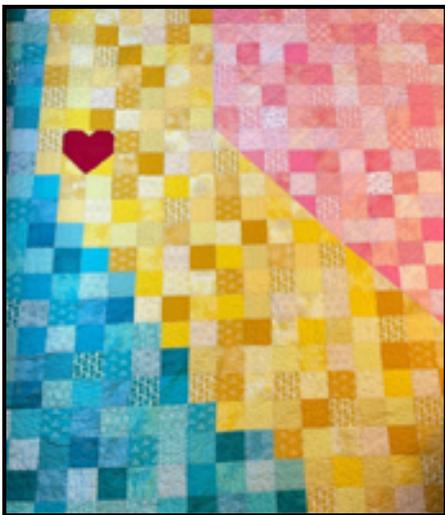
# Show and Tell



Pam Brown: Sport Themed and Auto Racing Themed Community Quilts



Jim Haws: Leaf Quilt



Michelle Crosbie: My California Home, Ultimate Beginner Series Quilt



Patricia Bauer: A few of the Cat Cuddles collected in February



Patti Bassignani: A Little light



## Membership

The membership committee is pleased to announce as of February 1st Moonlight Quilters has 136 active members!

**New:** You can now print a membership card from the Membership page of the MQSC website, thanks to Patricia Bauer!

To do this, go to the Membership page on [mqsc.org](http://mqsc.org) and click on the button that says, "Print your membership card." Enter your name exactly as it appears on the roster, otherwise it will not recognize you. If you need help, please contact the membership committee at [mqscmembership@gmail.com](mailto:mqscmembership@gmail.com). A current card can get you discounts at many fabric and craft shops where they may not know you personally!

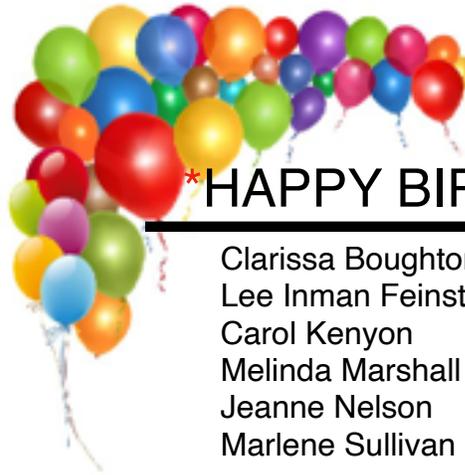
Also: **Newish** - Please help the secretary and membership chairpersons out by using the "meeting sign in" tab on the [MQSC home page](#) when signing into meetings, before clicking on the zoom prompt. This helps us keep accurate records, especially for determining a quorum. The MQSC constitution states that we need a quorum for voting, defined as 1/3 of members for membership meetings and 1/2 for board meetings.

Do you have a friend who wants to join, but thinks it's too late for this year? If they join after six months of the current year, (March) dues are half price.

A current roster can be requested through the website or by sending an email to the membership committee.

Happy Spring and Sew on!

Kathy Vedder and Miriam Marlin  
Membership Chairs  
[MQSCMembership@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCMembership@gmail.com)



**\*HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Clarissa Boughton  
Lee Inman Feinstein  
Carol Kenyon  
Melinda Marshall  
Jeanne Nelson  
Marlene Sullivan

A big thank you to

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Sonoma County

from  
Community Action  
Partnership of Sonoma  
County

"One who sleeps under a  
quilt is comforted by love"

Some welcome news!

East Bay Heritage Quilters  
is planning for  
Voices In Cloth 2022

Mark your calendars for  
Saturday and Sunday  
March 26-27  
2022

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Minutes of the Business Meeting by Zoom  
February 3, 2021

The meeting was called to order by President Linda Lampson at 7:03.pm Due to some confusion over quorum requirements, minutes from the January meeting will be considered for approval at the next business meeting where a quorum is present. There were no guests.

**President's Report:** Alys Hay has tendered her resignation as past president. The tolling agreement that is the resolution for the legal dispute has been accepted by the other party. The agreement was executed for a period of two years. Linda would like to put together a list of long-arm quilters that guild members recommend – she asked that members provide contact info in the chat portion of zoom or email her separately.

**Vice-President's Report:** Pam has many volunteers for the UFO challenge – 12 members, 21 projects! She hinted that the VP Challenge to be announced in May will be related to the title of a Dr. Seuss book.

**Treasurer's Report:** Michelle Crosbie reported that there has been very little activity outside of some straggler membership renewals.

**Membership:** We now have 136 members in good standing. An updated roster is available to any member who requests one. Current membership cards will be mailed upon request.

**Medallions:** Round 3 for all medallions should be completed. Please contact Dale or Trina if you need help moving your medallion on.

**Programs/Workshops:** The February 17 program meeting will be a presentation on Japanese quilts – watch for an e-blast with all the details! March 17's program "Panel-Palooza" will have a related Zoom workshop the following Saturday.

**Quilt Show:** While Moonlight Quilters is not planning to hold a show in 2021, East Bay Heritage Quilters will be offering "Voices in Cloth" virtually, in April. Also in April, check out the Foothill Quilters' show. Closer to home, the Cloverdale Citrus Fair has a February 5 deadline for entries to its virtual show.

**Moonlight Quilter of the Month:** Debbie Ward showed off her quilts, many of them from classes she has taken – she actually finishes her class projects, and beautifully! One quilt that generated a lot of interest was composed of pieced birds. Debbie provided the source: Jean Sophie Wood has directions in Block Lotto. In addition to completing her quilts, Debbie has been teaching sewing and quilt making at Bolt, and creating their iconic door hangings. Beautiful work!

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Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Minutes of the Business Meeting by Zoom  
February 3, 2021  
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**Monthly activities**

**Basic Skills:** Patti Bassignani and Karen Lavender announced that Denise Ragozzino will teach a French Braid table runner class in April, by Zoom.

**Block of the Month:** Deana Abramowitz won the February blocks. The March block is called “Whirling Bunnies” – please check the website for instructions on this very cute block – no buttons, please!

**Cat and Dog Cuddles:** Please make more!

**Community Relations:** Marilyn Lira presented a slide show of community quilts and pet cuddles donated in the last several weeks. She has kits with completed tops that need to be quilted and bound – please talk to her if you can take on one or more of these projects. She will be at Village Sewing Center on Friday, February 5, from 10-1 to accept community quilts as well as cat and dog cuddles. Many thanks to Dolores McCann for her generous quilt donations!

**Friendship Blocks:** Jeanne Nelson and Margaret Garretson reminded everyone that they only need 15 credits in order to put in their own friendship quilt request. Check out the beautifully revamped webpage to see how many credits you’ve accumulated, as well as signing up to make blocks for others’.

**Show and Tell:** Some beautiful work from members was showcased!

The meeting was adjourned at 9:01 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Miriam Marlin, *Interim Secretary*, [MQSCSecretary@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCSecretary@gmail.com)



More Darling Cat Cuddles!

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