



November 2020

# Patchwords

MOONLIGHT QUILTERS OF SONOMA COUNTY ESTABLISHED 1980

## CALENDAR

All MQSC Meetings are on Zoom until we can gather in person again!

### November

- 2: Board Meeting, 6:30–8PM
- 4: Business Meeting, 7-8:30PM
- 6: First Friday, 10AM-1PM  
at Village Sewing Center
- 18: Program Meeting, 7-8:30PM  
Jean Smith: My Quilting Journey

### December

- 2: Holiday Meeting, 7-8:30PM
- 4: First Friday, 10AM-1PM  
at Village Sewing Center

## President's Message

When my children were young, I always thought of Halloween as the kickoff to the holiday season. Of course, that meant it started by September to allow time to sew costumes. Now, I look forward to hanging my Day of the Dead quilt and building a family altar in October. I think of the altar as inviting the ancestors home for the holidays.

In this time of COVID and isolation and as we head into the Thanksgiving holiday, it helps me to focus on what I am grateful for. I give thanks for those of you attending our meetings, workshops, and sewcial, planning our holiday party, making community quilts, and doing the myriad tasks of keeping our guild running smoothly.

Although we are not meeting in person, we have found a variety of ways to connect. Program meetings continue with stellar speakers. Workshops are fun and instructional and many of us appreciate not having to schlep equipment around and having access to our complete stash as we work on projects. Plans are afoot for a festive Holiday Party on December 2<sup>nd</sup>. Plus, we'll find a way to enjoy Round Robin in January.

May you find ways to enjoy the blessings of friends and family in this unusual time.

-Linda Lampson  
*President*  
MQSCPres@gmail.com



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Toni Dalbec  
Ann Herbst  
Marilyn Koenig  
Carolyn Meigs  
Jackie Pavlicek  
Karen Perlis  
Kathy Vedder

## *Finding Peace in the Pieces 2020-2022 Opportunity Quilt*

Tickets to our stunning 2020-2022 Opportunity Quilt will be available at the next "First Friday" event taking place at Village Sewing on November 6 from 10:00AM - 1:00PM.

Tickets may be purchased with cash, check, or credit card. Members are encouraged to purchase a bundle of 30 tickets for \$25, although the new price break of 100 tickets for \$50 is definitely a better deal!

I encourage you to stop by Village to ooh and ahh over the quilt in person. The pictures shown at the reveal do not do it justice. See you there!

-Karen Derrick  
*Opportunity Quilt Marketing*  
[mqscOpportunityQ@gmail.com](mailto:mqscOpportunityQ@gmail.com)



## *Programs*

On November 18<sup>th</sup>, Jean Smith is our Program speaker. She will speak on her Quilt Journey and How to Quilt in a 1000 square foot house.

-Linda Lampson and Cyndi Cunningham  
*Program Chairpersons*  
[MQSCPrograms@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPrograms@gmail.com)

## *Holiday Basket Auction Fundraiser*

We are going to try out doing an Auction so we can have some kind of Holiday Basket fun at our virtual holiday party Dec 2.

E Blasts will be going out regularly with Auction specifics once we have them set up. Trina Jahnsen is our Auction specialist for this project. Thanks, Trina

We do need contributions from members & mini groups for the baskets. The schedule is early as we need to photograph the Baskets for posting on the Auction site.

Nov 6, 11AM – 2 PM – First Friday at Village Sewing - drop off contributions, or contact Gina Statler-Calhoun and arrange to drop your donation off at her house (near Rail Road SQ in SR).

Mini-groups are welcome to collaborate and donate a basket. Drop off on Nov 6 would be appreciated.

The committee will make up the baskets on Nov 7, and will start photographing them.

The auction will kick off at the Nov 18 MQSC program meeting.

Auction results will be announced at the Dec 2 Holiday Party.

The special drawing for the Holiday Party Door Prize basket for those attending the Holiday party will happen on Dec 2.

Thank you for your participation,

-Gina Statler-Calhoun  
*Ways and Means Chair*

## Membership

We are so thrilled that almost everyone has renewed their membership for this year! For those of you that have not responded, please know that we will be calling to check in with you! Since our dues and raffle ticket sales are our only sources of revenue while we are socially distanced, thank you for everyone that has sent in payment or contacted us for scholarships. And thank you to the generous folks who have sent in additional donations to our scholarship fund!

If you aren't sure of your membership status, please email Kathy or Miriam at [MQSCmembership@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCmembership@gmail.com) so we can answer your questions. So many great teachers will be coming to us via Zoom in the next few months - we have a whole new way to learn, meet each other's pets and appreciate the ease of meeting without driving.

Stay well and take care of yourself!

-Kathy Vedder and Miriam Marlin  
*Membership Chairpersons*  
MQSCMembership@gmail.com

## Block of the Month

Congratulations to this month's BOM winners:

Patricia Bauer won the Maple Leaf blocks  
Vicki Kaylor won the Armstrong Woods Tree blocks

Floating Boxes pattern blocks are due by Saturday, Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> to Bolt or by Monday, Nov. 2 at noon to Village Sewing Center.

Contact Denise Ragozzino or Lline Woodall if you have questions.

## Cat and Dog Cuddles

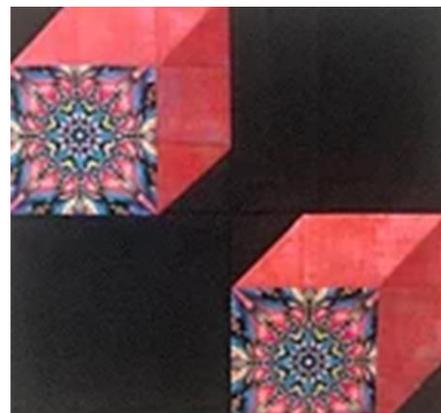
A big thank you to Deana Abramowitz, Joy Bouvier, Juliana Breazeale, Norma Jean Edwards and Janske Silva, who brought cuddles to Village Sewing Center on October 2. A total of 22 cuddles were collected since the previous First Friday.

This month Pat delivered 40 cat cuddles to Forgotten Felines. They were thrilled to receive them. Three of the larger cuddles have been held aside for a future delivery to a dog charity.

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.

Patricia Bauer & Pat Fratis  
*Cat/Dog Cuddle Coordinators*  
MQSCCatDogCuddles@gmail.com



## Friendship Blocks

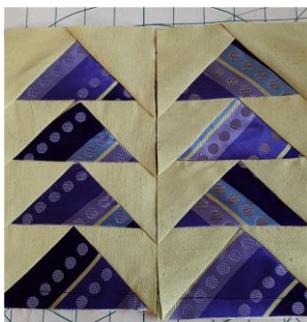
Friendship Block online is really going well. We are having a lot of interest in our offerings and even have gotten a few new blocks to offer. Woohoo! Karen Derrick has a new block called Perkiomen Valley and Karen Bolan has a new one called Star Chain. Both blocks are beautiful and come with very easy to follow directions.

Meanwhile we continue offering Deana Abramowitz's X Marks the Spot. She needs only a few more to complete her 20 blocks. Karen Bolan still needs more Tumbling Blocks to make her 20. So there are plenty to choose from Quilters. Thank you so much for your interest! The blocks you are turning in are beautiful!

We are returning Gina's blocks to her. Yay! There may be a few out there still so if by any chance you may still have some of her fabric and the directions it's never too late to either make the block for Gina or return the fabric.

Remember, any Friendship Blocks made can always be turned in to Village Sewing or to Bolt in Cloverdale. Just put them in a plastic bag and be sure your name is on the block. Blocks will be picked up once a week at Village. Thanks again for all your interest and participation in Friendship Blocks.

-Jeanne Nelson and Margaret Garretson  
*Friendship Block Coordinators*  
MQSCFriendsBlock@gmail.com



October  
Show and Tell Quilts  
from  
Leti D (left) and  
Jim H (right)

## Show and Tell

During our October business meeting 9 quilters shared 16 quilts. Nice work Moonlighters! No fat quarter was awarded as we haven't quite sorted out the logistics for that--stay tuned!

- Michelle Crosbie Apple Crisp
- Cyndi Cunningham First Long Arm Quilt
- Denise Ragozzino Legendary
- Denise Ragozzino Don't Feed the Bears
- Denise Ragozzino Mosaic Birds
- Denise Ragozzino Autumn Window
- Denise Ragozzino Grandson's Trick or Treat
- Brenda Hartley Mother's Quilt
- Pam Brown Silk and Salvage Class Sample
- Deana Abramowitz Red Pineapple
- Deana Abramowitz Northwind
- Jim Haws Stash Buster
- Leti Dueñas First Flying Geese
- Debbie Ward Silk and Salvage Class Sample
- Debbie Ward February BoM
- Debbie Ward March BoM

-Pat Bernard and Karen Perlis  
*Show and Tell Coordinators*  
mqscshowtell@gmail.com



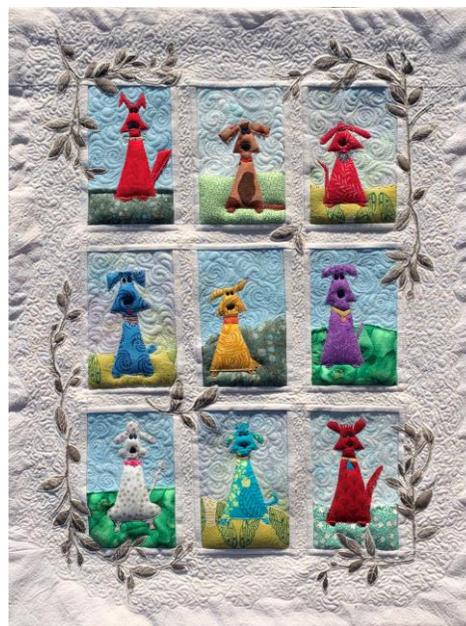
## Quilts for Fire Survivors

MQSC has donated 20 quilts to COPE Northern Sonoma County. COPE is “Citizens Organized to Prepare for Emergencies.” Priscilla Abercrombie is the Co-Leader of the Fitch Mountain COPE program and Board Chair, COPE NoSoCo. Ms. Abercrombie is distributing quilts in north county to survivors of the Walbridge fires. She contacted her friend, guild member Alys Hay, hoping that the guild would be able to provide quilts for this very worthy cause. Needless to say, we immediately said “Yes!” Ms. Abercrombie and our own Marilyn Lira (Co-Chair Community Relations) worked out logistics and 20 quilts were provided to Ms. Abercrombie on October 21. We anticipate that more quilts will follow as more survivors are identified.

Both Ms. Abercrombie and her husband, Pat, are avid quilters themselves and they, too, have been creating quilts for the survivors.



Pictured (from left to right) are Pat Abercrombie; Priscilla Abercrombie; and Marilyn Lira.



“Nine Dogs” by Karen Derrick was part of PIQF this year

## Moonlight Quilters Represented at Virtual PIQF

Congratulations to all the Moonlight Quilters who had entries in the virtual PIQF show!

Going through the quilt show on line, I noted the following Moonlight Quilters’ entries:

- Karen Bolan: “Cool as a Cactus” (2<sup>nd</sup> place New Quilts of Northern California)
- Karen Bolan: “Lollipop”
- Karen Bolan and Cathleen Campbell Wolford: “Folded Flyers”
- Karen Derrick: “Nine Dogs”
- Trina Jahnsen and Jackie Pavlicek: “Finding Peace in the Pieces”
- Judy Mathieson: “The Path to Earthrise”
- Denise Ragozzino: “Furrie Convention”
- Denise Ragozzino: “Time Travel”

(My apologies to anyone I missed.)

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
September 2, 2020  
Minutes of the Zoom Business Meeting

The meeting was called to order by outgoing President Alys Hay at 7:05 pm. With 62 members on line, a quorum was declared.

**Programs:** Programs Chair Linda Lampson reviewed upcoming programs: Silk and Salvage presentation September 16 with workshop on September 19; Basic Skills and Sew-cial on September 26, then Cathy Perlmutter's presentation and workshop October 21 and 24 respectively. Linda will be at Village Sewing Center to provide silk ties for any interested participants for use in the workshop. Jean Smith will make a presentation on November 18.

**Treasurer's Report:** So far, 74 people have renewed their membership by Square, and there are a few checks waiting in the MQSC post office box.

**Membership:** Michelle Crosbie has done a stellar job of sending membership dues invoices to all current members so that they can pay online or mail a check to her. Membership renewal is due September 1; Membership committee will follow up to encourage everyone to renew. Members are encouraged to contact the committee with questions or requests for scholarships.

**Opportunity Quilt:** Saraj Cory and Geri Cross thanked everyone for all their help marketing this year's quilt. The winning ticket was purchased by Richard Schneider of Redwood Valley. In addition to the many MQSC members involved in making the quilt, special thanks to Village Sewing Center and Bolt Fabric + Home for displaying the quilt and selling tickets on our behalf. We raised \$3,677!

**VP Challenge:** Karen Derrick presented the results of the Viewers' Choice polling for the many and varied submissions of "When Life Throws You a Monkey Wrench." First Place, Geri Cross, Second Place, Julie Neff and Third Place, Linda Lampson. They have each won a gift card from Village Sewing Center, arriving in their mailboxes. Thank you, Karen, for a fun challenge, and to everyone who participated!

**President's Quilt:** In appreciation of the craziest year ever to be MQSC President, members secretly made blocks for a 95x107" thank you quilt for Alys. Much appreciation to the block makers, Trina Jahnsen with layout, Lynd McLean for quilting it, Julie Neff for the label, and Kate Barrett at Bolt for luring Alys to the shop on false pretenses of new cat fabric for the big reveal.

Thank you to 2019-20 Chairs and Coordinators-Outgoing President Alys Hay formally thanked her board, coordinators and chairs for all their work in the past year.

**Installation:** Alys formally swore in Linda Lampson as the 2020-2021 MQSC Board President. President Lampson then formally installed the incoming board, who affirmed their positions via raised hands on Zoom.

**Medallions:** Trina Jahnsen and Dale Yamamura presented the completed medallions and rolled a die to determine which participant would win the quilt top that they worked on. The winners and the completed medallions will be posted on the website for all to review.

(Continued on the next page)

## Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County

September 2, 2020

### Minutes of the Zoom Business Meeting (continued from the previous page)

**Announcements:** Linda Lampson will be actively researching ways in which we can help fire survivors. Please give Marilyn Lira names of any fire survivors that you may know so that quilts may be set aside for them. We have community quilts to provide to YWCA as in recent years, but will wait until COVID restrictions are lifted.

The next board meeting, to include both outgoing and incoming board members and anyone else who is interested, will be on September 14 at 6:30 p.m. Watch for an e-blast for Zoom information.

**Reminder:** Friday, September 4 is a First Friday – Marilyn Lira will be in the parking lot from 10-1 at Village Sewing Center to collect Cat/Dog Cuddles and Community Quilts. It is also a good time to drop off Blocks of the Month and Friendship Blocks, clearly labeled in plastic bags for VSC staff to take care of. The Blocks of the Month and Friendship Blocks can be dropped off at any time at either VSC or Bolt on any day that they are open.

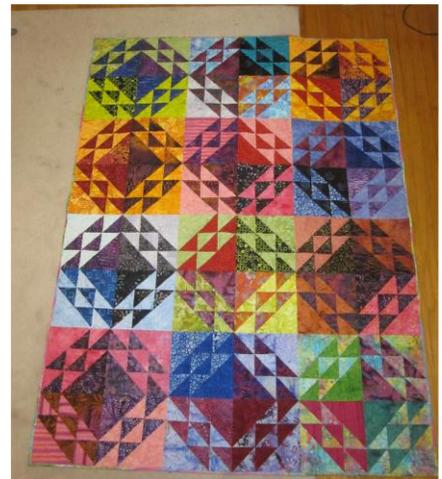
**Medallions:** Medallions for the 2020-21 project year will be available in October, and detailed sign up instructions will be provided. Be ready to choose your medallion rounds at the October 7 business meeting! You still have a few days to create a medallion start – please talk to Trina Jahnsen or Dale Yamamura right away!

**Block of the Month:** Denise presented a bonus block to honor the trees damaged and lost in the fire at Armstrong Grove. The maple leaf block is still available for stitching, too.

**Community Quilts:** If the First Friday of each month is not a practical time for you to hand off your quilts to Marilyn please contact her to make other arrangements.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Miriam Marlin, based on notes from Dawn Gutsch



October Show and Tell Quilts from Michelle C (left) and Deana A (center and right)

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Minutes of the Board Meeting  
September 14, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 6:34 by President Linda Lampson. Also present: Alys Hay, past president, Pam Brown, vice-president, Michelle Crosbie, Treasurer, Dawn Gutsch, Secretary. Also, Karen Derrick, Trina Jahnsen, Marilyn Lira, Dale Yamamura, Gina Stateler-Calhoun, Karen Perlis, Saraj Cory, Kathy Vedder and Miriam Marlin. A quorum was declared. (Please email [MQSCsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCsecretary@gmail.com) if you attended and we did not include your name here!)

Upon a motion from Marilyn Lira, seconded by Michelle Crosbie, the prior Board meeting minutes were unanimously approved as printed in the newsletter.

**Treasurer's Report:** Michelle Crosbie reported that as of 8/31, the checking account balance was \$29,425.05. She is almost done with financial statements through August. Dues invoices have been sent; 75 members have already paid. Use of the Square has greatly facilitated socially distant payment. Many people have also sent donations for those who request membership scholarships.

**Community Quilts:** Marilyn Lira has received 14 community quilts and 13 cat/dog cuddles. She is waiting for word on needs from the community affected by the LNU and Walbridge Fire. Alys Hay has contacts to facilitate quilt distribution to survivors.

**Quilt Show:** Linda Lampson reported that there is little to discuss until we can be sure that there will be a show in 2021.

**Text messaging:** Acting upon a suggestion that we send text reminders to members so that they participate in our Zoom meetings, Karen Derrick has been setting up a framework for texting members who opt in to this concept. Saraj Cory has offered to work with Karen on the process, and to send out text reminders. These would not be a replacement for e-blasts, but an additional way to connect with membership. Karen and Saraj will report on this for the next board meeting.

**Opportunity Quilt:** Karen Derrick reported that the quilt has been quilted and will be ready for its reveal at our 10/7 business meeting. Upon a motion by Karen Derrick, seconded by Marilyn Lira, a proposal to add an additional ticket sales tier to the current sale prices of \$1 for one ticket, \$5 for six tickets, and \$25 for 30. Upon a motion from Karen Derrick and second by Marilyn Lira, those present unanimously approved an additional price break of 100 tickets for \$50.00. It was also proposed that the drawing be held at the end of the June 2022 quilt show in order to provide more publicity for the Opportunity Quilt as well as the quilt show. Moved by Karen Derrick, seconded by Dawn Gutsch, and carried.

**Quilt Show Postcard** – the postcard has traditionally showcased the quilt. We can revisit this project at the next board meeting – tickets are usually printed in time for the November business meeting.

**Slide shows:** We need additional volunteers as backup for running slide shows so that broken computers and other problems don't spoil planned presentations. Files can be stored on Google Drive. Karen Derrick will investigate questions of portability between Mac and PC platforms. Karen Perlis, Michelle Crosbie and Saraj Cory volunteered for backup duties.

(Continued on the next page)

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Minutes of the Board Meeting  
September 14, 2020 (continued from previous page)

For the October 7 business meeting, we will have the first of three Quilt Parades to display all the community quilts. Marilyn will send photos to Karen, Michelle and Saraj.

**Holiday Party** – As a way to raise money, we should look into auction software to award baskets. Trina Jahnsen will research options.

Be ready to join the Zoom Sew-cial on September 26! Some programs are changed to accommodate social distancing, others, such as the library, will be on hiatus until we can use the Vets' Building once again. Thank you to all the program and activity chairs that have figured out ways to keep their projects active without touching!

The next Board meeting will be on Monday, November 2 at 6:30 p.m..  
This board meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m. Minutes respectfully submitted by  
Miriam Marlin and Dawn Gutsch.

---

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Business Meeting Minutes  
October 7, 2020 by Zoom

President Linda Lampson called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. With 57 members in attendance, a quorum was declared. The list of attendees is maintained by the Membership Committee.

Linda Messerli was visiting as a prospective member.

Minutes of the August 5 meeting were approved unanimously upon a motion by Trina Jahnsen, seconded by Karen Derrick; minutes of the September 2 meeting will require some revisions and will be reviewed for approval at the November 4 meeting.

**Opportunity Quilt:** The stunning quilt pieced by Trina Jahnsen and quilted by Jackie Pavlicek was displayed for all to see. Entitled "Finding Peace in Pieces," we will be able to see it in person at Village Sewing Center as soon as a label is attached to it! Everyone is encouraged to buy raffle tickets! Purchases must be in person due to the strict laws about raffles!

**Treasurer's Report:** Michelle reported that the fiscal year ended August 31, 2020 has been closed with a net increase of \$585.00. In addition to a steady receipt of membership renewals, Michelle has also received almost \$300 in donations to compensate for those who need scholarships in this challenging year.

**Membership:** Kathy Vedder reported that as of September 14, 116 members had renewed. Reminders are going out, and the Membership Committee will make phone calls to check in with members who have not sent in payment or requested scholarships by the end of October. MQSC members are encouraged to contact Kathy or Miriam if they have any questions! An updated roster will be published at the end of the year.

(Continued on the next page)

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
Business Meeting Minutes  
October 7, 2020 by Zoom (continued from the previous page)

**Programs:** The September 26 Sew-cial was really well received, as was Trina Jahnsen's Basic Skills class taught earlier in the month. Silk and Salvage's program was very informative and has sparked a lot of creative piecing. Now is the time to sign up for the October program on Improvisational Triangles, presented by Cathy Perlmutter – lecture on October 21 and workshop on October 24! There will be more Basic Skills classes after the first of the year; Kay Hawkins is organizing the Round Robin for January 20.

**Community Quilts:** The board has approved the addition of a new transitional housing organization, CAP, as a recipient for our quilts. Start sewing, everyone! Between the fire survivors and CAP, any quilts we can provide will be gratefully received. Thank you to Denise Ragozzino for suggesting this organization! The motion to include CAP was seconded and approved by acclamation.

**Medallions:** Trina Jahnsen and Dale Yamamura introduced the Medallion starts. Attendees took a break from Zoom to send in their initial Medallion round requests. Improvements to the Medallion webpage are amazing and will make it easy to see what sign ups remain, as well as helping members to remember what medallion rounds they signed up for!

**Block of the Month:** Denise Ragozzino pulled winning names for the Maple Leaf (Pat Bauer) and the Armstrong Grove Tree Blocks (Vicki Kaylor). She introduced the new block, Floating Boxes, and gave some tips on fabric selection for this unusual block. Completed blocks are due November 2.

**Friendship Blocks:** Jeanne Nelson reviewed the available Friendship blocks and the process for setting up your own! The web page now provides the points each member has earned toward getting their blocks made.

**Holiday Party:** Nancy Robinson confirmed with Linda Lampson that plans are underway for a celebration!

**Show and Tell:** Karen Perlis served as mistress of ceremonies for the many quilts that members have made over the last few months. So much talent!

**Upcoming programs:** Wednesday, October 21, Cathy Perlmutter; Saturday, October 24, Workshop on Improv Paper Pieced Triangles with Cathy Perlmutter. There is still space for sign ups!

Next Board Meeting: Monday, November 2 at 6:30 pm – if you are not on the board, you are still very welcome to attend – please email Linda Lampson at [MQSCpres@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCpres@gmail.com). Watch for an e-blast.

Friday, November 6 is First Friday – time to meet up in the parking lot at Village Sewing Center – bring your community quilts, friendship blocks, cat and dog cuddles....and visit! Marilyn Lira will be there from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. to collect community quilts and cuddles.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Miriam Marlin, Substitute Secretary

## **MQSC BOARD, CHAIRS, AND COORDINATORS FOR 2020-2021**

**President: Linda Lampson**

NCQC Liaison: Linda Lampson  
Tri-Guild Lunch Liaison: Linda Lampson

**Vice-President: Pam Brown**

**Secretary: open**

Historian: Teresa Lewis

**Treasurer: Michelle Crosbie**

**Past President: Alys Hay**

**Quilt Show Chairperson: Trina Jahnsen**

**Community Relations Chairpersons: Marilyn Lira/  
Donna Poe**

Community Quilts Coordinators: Marilyn Lira/  
Donna Poe  
Cat & Dog Cuddles Coordinators: Pat Fratis/  
Patricia Bauer  
Sonoma County Fair Events Coordinator:  
Carole Behlke  
Citrus Fair Events Coordinators: Debbie  
Ward/Judith Brooks

**Membership Chairpersons: Kathy Vedder/Miriam  
Marlin**

Sunshine Coordinator: Shirley Black  
Hospitality Coordinators: Michelle Proto/  
Shirley Johnson  
Installation Potluck Coordinator: Outgoing  
Board  
Holiday Party and Potluck Coordinator:  
Nancy Robinson  
Tri-Guild Luncheon Coordinator:  
Robin Dieter

**Communications Chairperson: Karen Derrick**

Newsletter: Julie Neff  
Email Blast Coordinator: Joanne Thomas  
Website Coordinator: Karen Derrick  
Zoom Coordinator: Saraj Cory

**Guild Publicity Chairperson: Nora Raggio**

Social Media Coordinator: Michelle Crosbie  
Page Coordinator (Facebook):  
Michelle Crosbie  
Guild Publicity Coordinator: Nora Raggio

**Program Chairpersons: Linda Lampson/  
Cyndi Cunningham**

Programs Coordinators: Linda Lampson/  
Cyndi Cunningham

Basic Skills Coordinators:

Patti Bassignani/Karen Lavender

MQSC Quilter of the Month Coordinator:  
Judy Pudoff

Show and Tell Coordinators: Pat Bernard/  
Karen Perlis

Round Robin Coordinator: Kay Hawkins

**Activity Chairperson: Jeanne Nelson**

Block of the Month Coordinators:

Denise Ragazzino/Lline Woodall

Friendship Block Coordinators: Jeanne  
Nelson/Margaret Garretson

Fabric Exchange Coordinators:

Donna Cambra/Cecile Clabaugh

Medallion Coordinators:

Trina Jahnsen/Dale Yamamura

Library Coordinators:

Norma Jean Edwards/ Viki Kaylor/  
Donna Huckaby

**Ways and Means Chairperson: Gina Stalder-  
Calhoun**

Opportunity Quilt Design/Construction  
Coordinator 2020: Nancy Samples

Opportunity Quilt Design/Construction  
Coordinator 2021-2022: Karen  
Bolan

Opportunity Quilt Marketing and Publicity  
Coordinators: Karen Derrick/Dale  
Yamamura/Trina Jahnsen

Spring Fundraiser Coordinators:  
Lline Woodall/Deb Gomes

Raffle Coordinator: Holly Palma

Monthly Meeting Raffle:

Debbie Ward (lead)/  
Kanani Jones (helper)

Holiday Celebration Raffle:  
Martha Ashe

Tri-Guild Luncheon Raffle:  
Dena Harding

**Bold** text denotes board members

# MQSC Generic Email Addresses

President: [MQSCPres@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPres@gmail.com)  
Vice President: [MQSCVP@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCVP@gmail.com)  
Secretary: [MQSCSecretary@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCSecretary@gmail.com)  
Treasurer: [MQSCTreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCTreasurer@gmail.com)

Basic Skills: [MQSCBasicSkills@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCBasicSkills@gmail.com)  
Block of the Month: [MQSCBOM@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCBOM@gmail.com)  
Cat and Dog Cuddles:

[MQSCCatDogCuddles@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCCatDogCuddles@gmail.com)

Community Relations:  
[MQSCCommunityRelations@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCCommunityRelations@gmail.com)

Email Blast: [MQSCEmailBlast@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCEmailBlast@gmail.com)  
Fabric Exchange: [MQSCFabricEx@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCFabricEx@gmail.com)

Friendship Blocks:  
[MQSCFriendsBlock@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCFriendsBlock@gmail.com)

Fund Raising: [MQSCFundRaiser@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCFundRaiser@gmail.com)

Library: [MQSCLibrary@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCLibrary@gmail.com)  
Medallions: [MQSCMedallions@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCMedallions@gmail.com)  
Membership: [MQSCMembership@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCMembership@gmail.com)  
Newsletter: [MQSCNewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCNewsletter@gmail.com)  
Opportunity Quilt:

[MQSCOpportunityQ@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCOpportunityQ@gmail.com)

Past President:  
[MQSCPastPresident@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPastPresident@gmail.com)

Programs: [MQSCPrograms@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCPrograms@gmail.com)

Quilter of the Month:  
[MQSCQuilteroftheMonth@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCQuilteroftheMonth@gmail.com)

Quilt Show Chair:  
[MQSCQuiltShowChair@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCQuiltShowChair@gmail.com)

Retreat: [MQSCRetreat@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCRetreat@gmail.com)  
Show and Tell: [MQSCShowTell@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCShowTell@gmail.com)  
Webmaster: [MQSCWebmaster@gmail.com](mailto:MQSCWebmaster@gmail.com)



## MQSC AFFILIATES

### **Ann Strom Threads**

P.O. Box 2221  
Sebastopol, CA 95473  
829-1014  
Full line of Aurifil & Presencia threads  
for sewing & quilting

### **Bolt Fabric & Home**

Kate Barrett  
219 N Cloverdale Blvd.  
Cloverdale, CA 95425  
894-2658  
Fabric, Notions, classes, gifts and  
home accessories.  
[www.boltcloverdale.com](http://www.boltcloverdale.com)  
[info@boltcloverdale.com](mailto:info@boltcloverdale.com)

### **By Kay Mackenzie**

Kay Mckenzie, owner  
Books, patterns, tools, supplies,  
notions, gifts  
[www.kaymackenzie.com](http://www.kaymackenzie.com)

### **Cindy's Fabric Boutique**

Cynthia Tarwater  
Yuba City, CA  
530-218-6289  
Fabric, patterns, notions  
[www.cindysfabricboutique.easy.etsy.com](http://www.cindysfabricboutique.easy.etsy.com)

### **Constant and Laffin**

Sharon Constant & Nancy Laffin  
4717 Cameron Ranch Dr  
Carmichael, CA 95608  
No brick and mortar store. Online and  
show presence only. Quilt kits,  
patterns and notions.  
[nancy@constantlaffin.com](mailto:nancy@constantlaffin.com)

### **D's Quilting Designs**

Don Javier, owner  
320 Graham Ct  
Folsom, CA 95630  
916-985-2299  
Sashiko patterns & tools.  
Asian/oriental & blender fabrics,  
patterns and notions.  
[www.doriejavier.com](http://www.doriejavier.com)

### **Finishing Touch 4 You**

Gail Hogan  
7979 Wapiti Pl  
Citrus Hts, CA 95610  
530-304-5809  
Yarn, necklaces & scarf slides, all  
handmade.  
[gailsotherplace@gmail.com](mailto:gailsotherplace@gmail.com)

### **Freshwater Quilt Hangers**

Verne Frost  
2650 Freshwater Rd,  
Eureka, CA  
845-9237  
By appointment or drop in. Handmade  
wood quilt & weaving hangers, quilt  
craft items, special order.

### **Global Marketplace Fair Trade Crafts Ltd**

[www.globalmarketplace.com/](http://www.globalmarketplace.com/)

*MQSC Affiliates list continued on  
the next page*



## MQSC AFFILIATES (continued)

### Material Girlfriends

1035 Geneva St  
Livermore, CA 94450  
925-640-2485

We are both eager to share out passion with new and used quilters by teaching and lecturing at local shops, guilds and quilt shows.

Many patterns to choose from on our Patterns blog.

[www.QuiltPatternsDirect.com/blog](http://www.QuiltPatternsDirect.com/blog)

[lisa@materialgirlfriends.com](mailto:lisa@materialgirlfriends.com)

[lora@materialgirlfriends.com](mailto:lora@materialgirlfriends.com)

### Maureen Schmidt Hand Dyed Fabrics

324 Twin Lakes Dr  
Santa Rosa, CA 95409  
By Appointment only 228-6007  
Hand dyed cotton, raw silk and radiance hand dyed pearl cotton and cotton gauze

[mhardyschmidt@gmail.com](mailto:mhardyschmidt@gmail.com)

### Meissner Sewing & Vacuum Center

1455 Santa Rosa Ave  
Santa Rosa, CA 95404  
575-5259

Sewing machine, long arm, vac, notions, fabric, industrial & commercial embroidery systems. Repair & service of machines. Classes, workshops & events.

15% discount w/active MQSC card.

[meissnersewing.com](http://meissnersewing.com)

### Missing a Few Buttons

Tammy Salvato, owner  
c/o Summer Cottage Antiques  
153 Kentucky St  
Petaluma, CA 94952  
578-7796

At least a hundred thousand old & new buttons.

[salvatofam@aol.com](mailto:salvatofam@aol.com)

### Monica's Quilt & Bead Creations

77780 Country Club Dr, #C & D  
Palm Desert, CA 92211  
Fabrics, patterns, 4000 sq. ft. of beads everywhere.

[www.monicasquiltandbead.com](http://www.monicasquiltandbead.com)

### Not Just QuiltZ

37831 Niles Blvd,  
Fremont, CA 94536  
510-797-6579

Aboriginal and Batik fabrics, long arm quilting services on a Gammill Statler Stitcher. Embroidery, custom quilts, classes, batting, notions and unique gift items, as well as gift certificates.

[notjustquiltz.com](http://notjustquiltz.com)

### Quilts by Cathy

1436 Coughlin Ct  
Yuba City, CA 95993  
530-671-6047

Longarm quilting, fabric, kits

[quiltsbycathy@comcast.net](mailto:quiltsbycathy@comcast.net)

### Rainbow Resources

Charlene Younker  
PO Box 222  
Albion, CA 95410  
937-0431

Unique fabrics & trims.

10% discount w/active MQSC card @

Albion store only.

Hours by appointment only.

[rainbowresourceco.com](http://rainbowresourceco.com)

[rainbow@mcn.org](mailto:rainbow@mcn.org)

### Sew Little Time Quilting

Colleen Granger  
337 Pt San Pedro Rd  
San Rafael, CA 94901  
415-686-6067

Longarm quilting, quilt patterns, embroidery supplies, workshops.

[sewlittletimequilting.com](http://sewlittletimequilting.com)

[colleen@sewlittletimequilting.com](mailto:colleen@sewlittletimequilting.com)

### Sonoma County Sewing Company

Shannon Marshall, owner,  
474 Larkfield Center  
Santa Rosa, CA  
757-5637

Services offered include alterations, custom clothing, design prototypes, and machine embroidery, sewing classes for students of all levels!

Courses offered include fashion analysis, flat pattern design, sewing machine instruction, and how to sew.

Sonoma County Sewing Company is a maker space for sewing and quilting! You can rent our machines to use in the studio.

[sonoma-county-sewing-](http://sonoma-county-sewing-company.business.site)

[company.business.site](http://sonoma-county-sewing-company.business.site)

### Sproule Studios

April Sproule, Owner  
358 Main St  
Fortuna, CA 95540

Textile artist / designer  
Longarm quilting services

[www.sproulestudios.com](http://www.sproulestudios.com)

### Twice Nice Sewing Machine Restoration

David & Marion Trebotich  
5127 Sundance Ct  
Antioch, CA 94531  
925-628-5039

Singer Featherweights & Sewing accessories

Mon-Fri 9-5

[www.twiceniceshoppe.com](http://www.twiceniceshoppe.com)

### Village Sewing Center

John Furtado, owner  
506 Lewis Rd, Santa Rosa, CA 544-7259

Sewing, sergers & embroidery machines, cabinet sales, books, repairs, fabric, thread, notions & classes.

Mon-Fri 10-6, Sat 10-5, Sun Closed

Discount with membership card

[www.villagesewing.com](http://www.villagesewing.com)

### Your California Fabric Connection

Terry Abbet  
4225 Solano Ave #579  
Napa, CA 94558  
800-479-7906

High quality quilt fabric scrap bags, stash builder fabrics.

[www.yourcaliforniafabric.com](http://www.yourcaliforniafabric.com)

[yourcaliforniafabric@gmail.com](mailto:yourcaliforniafabric@gmail.com)



# Patchwords

**Membership in MQSC** is open to all who share an interest in quilting. Members enjoy meetings and special events, receive a monthly newsletter, have use of a library of quilting books, videos, tools, and patterns, and receive discounts from some affiliate members.

**Dues** are \$45 annually, \$15 for those younger than 16 who are accompanied by an adult member, \$50 for affiliates.

The member year is September 1 to August 31. Confidential scholarships are available. Contact the Membership Chair.

The membership form is available at [www.mqsc.org/membership](http://www.mqsc.org/membership).

The **Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County** hold Business and Program Meetings on the first and third Wednesdays of each month except in July and August when only one meeting is held.

At present, all meetings are on Zoom. When we are able to meet in person, we meet at the Veterans Memorial Building, 1351 Maple Ave, Santa Rosa, CA.

For Workshop and Basic Skills Class information, please refer to the website [www.mqsc.org](http://www.mqsc.org).

The *Patchwords* newsletter submission deadline is the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.

Please send articles to [mqscnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:mqscnewsletter@gmail.com).

Moonlight Quilters of Sonoma County  
P.O. Box 6818  
Santa Rosa, CA 95406-6818

