

Golden Valley News Patches



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July Program

Community Service Sew-Day

It is that time of the year again when instead of a professional teacher we have our very own GVQG Community Service Sew Along.

We are very fortunate to have the pattern "S'Witched" donated to us from Pat at Villa Rosa Designs. If you have not received your free pattern card, we will have one for you at the sew along.

For this pattern you can make it scrappy from your stash, or purchase coordinating fabrics. Pat at VR often has kits made up for an even easier option.

You will need: Light and Dark contrasting fabrics.

Dark Fabric 9 Fat Sixths 12"x22" or/ 18-10" squares

Light Fabric 9 Fat Sixths 12"x22" or/ 18-10" squares

On July 22, 2021 we will meet together from 4-9pm with a very short time of announcements at 7pm. Come when you can, stay as long as you like. Bring your sewing machine, fabric and tools needed to sew this simple pattern. The guild will have cutting mats and Irons available for use. We will give tips and tricks on constructing the pattern and you will likely be able to finish the top in the evening.

Also, bring your own brown bag dinner or/ plan on popping out to one of the great local restaurants.

We will begin cleaning up by 8:30pm so we can be out the doors on time by 9pm. (Continued on page 8)

Snippets . . . from the president

Happy Independence Day to everyone! We had a relaxing Fourth of July with family and friends, mostly enjoying the simple things in life.....like hugging! Next week we're escaping the heat and going to Monterey for our 36th wedding anniversary. Of course there's another quilt store I'll be visiting!

I hope you enjoyed Jane Haworth's program at our June meeting as much as I did. It also was a very good workshop. I finished my red sunflower and am now working on the yellow one. I'm really hooked on her technique and want to try it using my own photos.

Our July meeting is our community service sewing day! We don't have a formal meeting.....just sewing! I've already cut out my squares for the S'Witched pattern and am looking forward to sewing them together.

The next board meeting will be Thursday, August 5th, 6:30 p.m. on Zoom. Let me know if you're interested in attending and I'll send you the link.

Stay cool by staying inside and sewing!

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### **Programs & Workshops**

Unless otherwise stated, all general meetings are at St. Marks Lutheran Church on the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Workshops are 9:30am - 3:30pm (Set-up 9:00-9:30 a.m.; Clean-up 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.)

If you would like to take a workshop, contact Candice Buerer at 916-508-7554

### July

Event: Community Service Sewing Day

Date: Thursday, July 22, 3pm-9pm

### August

Meeting: Ice Cream Social, Sewing/Craft Sale

Date: Thursday, August 26, 7 pm

### September

Meeting: TBD

Date: Thursday, September 23, 7 pm

Workshop: TBD - potential sewing day

Date: Saturday, June 26th, 9am-3pm

#### October

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916-521-6556 916-969-2899 Meeting: TBD

Date: Thursday,October 28, 7 pm

Workshop: TBD - potential sewing day

Date: Saturday, October 30, 9am-3pm

### November

Meeting: TBD

Date: Thursday, November 18, 7 pm

### **December**

Meeting: Holiday Luncheon

Date: Thursday, **December 11**, 10 - 3



# **Amador Valley Quilters**

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# **Open Committee Positions!**

We are still looking for a **Program Director-Elect** to work alongside Candice, our Program Director. It's a good way to "learn the ropes" before taking over the position. Talk to Candice for details on this position.

## A/V Assistance Needed!

Still looking for someone to help us test a hybrid meeting. I will use my iPhone to run Zoom. I need someone to be responsible for supervising the phone to make sure that it is displaying whoever or whatever is presenting or being presented and watch the chat in case there are questions. If you're interested, please contact Vicki Walter,

vwalter3@gmail.com.



# **Calendar of Events**

Always check for updated information when going out of town.

### July 14th

NCQC Meet the Teachers meeting

This will be a Zoom meeting from 10am-noon. Pre-registration for the Zoom meeting will be required.

### August 21st - 22nd

QS- Delta Quilters Guild - Delta Quilters Guild Quilt Show - Quilting. . . the thread that binds. August 21 (10:00-5:00), August 22 (10:00-4:00). Brentwood Community Center, 35 Oak St, Brentwood. www.deltaquilters.org

### August 28th

Loomis Quilt and Fiber Guild = Marketplace/Social. Saturday, Social 10am to 1pm. \$25 for 'sneak peek' shopping and bag lunch with speaker Beth Watts from Fabric Chicks in Gardnerville, NV. Marketplace 1pm to 4pm. FANTASTIC COUNTRY STORE. Blue Goose Event Center, 3550 Taylor Rd, Loomis. For more info contact: oranjgirl@hotmail.com

### September 18th

Sierra Quilt Guild of Tuolumne County-Free Drive-by Quilt Show, Saturday, 10 AM - 4 PM, Features locally made Quilts and Handmade Gifts from the members of the Sierra Quilt Guild both On Display and For Sale around the greater Sonora area. A drawing for the 2021 Opportunity Quilt "Pinwheels in the Garden" (pictured on our website) will be held at 5 PM at Quail's Nest Quilt Store in the Junction Shopping Center in Sonora. Tickets can be purchased there prior to the drawing.

www.sierraquiltguild.com.

#### October 1st - 2nd

The Sierra Gold Quilters' Guild is hosting their Quilt Show at the Amador County Fairgrounds in Plymouth, October 1-2, 2021, from 10 am to 4. Country Store with many fabric bargains, a "small quilt" auction, & terrific food. Amador County Fairgrounds, 18621 Sherwood St, Plymouth

#### October 2nd-3rd

Ladies of the Lake 19th Annual Falling Leaves Quilt Show Times are 10/2, 10am - 5 pm, and 10/3, 10am to 4pm. We will have 150+ quilts, Vendors, Door Prizes, Demonstrations, a Silent Auction, County Store, Opportunity Quilt raffle, and our Theme Basket raffle. Raffle drawings are on Sunday afternoon. We are calling for Quilt entries now, due by August 14, 2021, entry forms are online at www.llqg.org. Quilts are due by September 29, 2021.



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Bank Balance beginning of June	\$33,312.88	
Monthly Income	\$793.00	
Monthly Expenses	-\$6,481.38	
Net Income/Loss	-\$5,688.38	
Bank Balance at end of June	\$27,624.50	
Less Dedicated Funds:		
Mercy Retreat-Income	\$0.00	
Zephyr Retreat-Expense	\$0.00	
Charitable/Education	-\$12,183.75	
Available Funds at end of June 2021	\$15,440.75	



Christine	Canelo	07/02
Valerie	Wong	07/06
Natalie	Davey	07/13
Sue	Terwilliger	07/17
Vicky	Macleod	07/18
Ernestine	Cimino	07/21
Sandi	McCaslin	07/21
Maureen	Niemeyer	07/21
Maryanne	Paveglio	07/26



Karen Riggs Apr 2021 Joan VanWagner Apr 2021 Donna Langston May 2021

Please look for these new members and make them feel welcome.

Please volunteer to be a Mentor!

Everyone . . . Wear your name tag!

# **Membership**

As we meet in person again, our renewals continue to dribble in. It's been wonderful to see so many friends in person in the last two months. Hopefully even more members will join us for our annual Community Sew-In at our July meeting. In addition to seeing familiar faces, we have three new members too. I'd introduce them to you in this article but I left my paperwork at home when I flew to Florida on Tuesday so the introductions will just have to wait. That's right, I flew to Orlando, Florida while the world was watching a hurricane approach the eastern coastline of the United States. Hurricane Elsa was downgraded to a tropical storm as it soaked Cuba but it picked up steam again as it moved across the Gulf of Mexico with wind speeds sufficient enough to regain the title of hurricane. Its trajectory was supposed to come ashore on the western side of Florida in Tampa and proceed up the center of the state through Orlando to the east, then up through Georgia and the Carolinas before heading back out to sea. Thankfully, it stayed along the western coast of Florida, then cut across the top of the state to the eastern seaboard. We had about 20 minutes of hard rain and an overcast day here in Rockledge, but the winds in California lately have been worse than the wind was here. I think California earthquakes appeal more to me than east coast hurricanes. The anticipation and fear was horrible; with earthquakes there are no worries because you never know when the next one is coming. I'll be back in Citrus Heights on Thursday, just in time to cut my 10" blocks for **S'Witched**, the pattern we'll use on our community sewing day.

Linda Sliepen

# **NEW Community Service Coordinator**

I would like to introduce you to **Mary Ward**, our new Community Service Coordinator. Mary joined our guild shortly before the shutdown last year, and a fun bit of trivia, she and I sat next to each other at Donna Palmer's great "rug class".

Before moving here, she belonged to SCVQG, theSanta Clara Valley Quilt Guild, with a membership of +/- 500! She has a lot of ideas and experience with different aspects of guild possibilities! We look forward to helping Mary take on this new role. If you make CS quilts, if you deliver CS quilts, head on over to the CS table at our next meeting and introduce yourself!

Thanks to all of you, that make Golden Valley a wonderful guild! Sheila G



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# Getting to Know You - Gwyneth Dunbar

Gwyneth Margaret Mahon (("Mah" not "May") was born on December 9, 1951, in Dublin, Ireland - a little sister to Peter, who was 4 years old. She had a very close relationship with her maternal grandmother, "Granny." Granny had 8 children - the youngest was only 18 months older than Gwyneth's brother. Gwyneth's mom worked as a clerk in an automotive garage and her dad was a traveling salesman for a ribbon company.

In Ireland one starts Catholic school at the age of 3 in Babbies, then High Babies and then 1st grade. Her entire childhood musical experience was limited to playing the triangle during a Big Babies class performance - she struck the triangle twice! She attended the same school as her mother, so she was well known beginning day 1. The nuns thought they had found the Mother Lode when they learned her dad sold ribbons. Every now and then, Gwyneth would be called to the office and given a note for her father. A day or 2 later she would bring a package back to school. The package contained a ribbon order, from which award ribbons would be prepared by the nuns and then given to students for their special achievements.

Gwyneth's parents had some friends who had moved to Portland, Oregon. They often wrote letters about how wonderful everything was there. Her dad wanted to move, he wanted better employment opportunities, but, her mom did not want to leave her family. Dad's wishes prevailed. When he was settled, and had bought a little house, they joined him. In October of 1961, just after she had started 4th grade, Gwyneth, her mother & her brother immigrated to America.

Sadly, her parents developed marital issues and, by the next October, they were divorced. Gwyneth and her mom moved to Sacramento where her mom had a friend and a job offer, but her brother stayed with dad because he didn't want to leave his high school. However, he eventually joined them in Sacramento where he finished his senior year at Sacramento High School. He ultimately became vice president of a very successful painting company (building exteriors) in San Francisco, where he lives today.

Gwyneth completed 5th to 8th grade at the old St. Francis school at 25th & K. She went on to high school at the new St.Francis High School, where her class was the first full 4-year class. Her claim to fame was winning a bookkeeping award. She was so far ahead of the class and it seriously challenged the teacher to find assignments that would keep Gwyneth engaged.

Several times they returned home to Ireland to visit family. One of these trips started off with a trip to Oregon to visit their dad. When there, JFK was assassinated. They left for Ireland the following day to find the whole country in mourning - it lasted for 2-3 weeks. Everyone was crying, it was just awful. Gwyneth was now12, and on this trip her granny taught her how to sew.

After her 1970 graduation Gwyneth attended CSUS. That lasted

about a year and a half. She had just broken up with her boyfriend and Dennis Dunbar had just broken up with his girl friend. Joining Gwyneth's best friend & her boyfriend, she and Dennis went on a double date . . . they are still together.

When they met, Dennis was a student at Humboldt State. Sadly, he started coming down to Sacramento all the time to see Gwyneth, his studies suffered and he was asked not to return. He had a very low draft number so he decided his safest move was to join the Navy - which he did on his 21st birthday. He did boot camp in San Diego and his first assignment was to a ship stationed in Hawaii. This ship had been sitting in Pearl Harbor for 10 years BUT it got orders that involved 9 months at sea leaving in August. Their wedding date had been set for July 9th, 1972 but, all leave was cancelled from June to August. She and Dennis talked about it and they decided to move up the wedding to May 14th and had their honeymoon at a family cabin in Alturas. For her wedding, Gwyneth was able to wear a beautiful wedding dress that was hand made by her Granny for the wedding of one of Gwyneth's aunts two years earlier.

Off they went to Hawaii. Gwyneth found a studio apt and a job as an inventory clerk for an electronic supply company. When Dennis returned from his sea duty they got base housing, and they welcomed a baby girl into their lives. Gwyneth didn't work after that because they were going to be returning home very soon. After 3 ½ years, Gwyneth was happy to get back to CA. She came home early to spend the Christmas holidays with her family and Dennis returned after the 1st of the year. He was discharged from the Navy and resumed his studies at CSUS. After graduation, he got a "temporary" job with the state - that lasted 36 years. Their son was born in 1979.

Gwyneth's employment history is amazing and difficult to describe. Starting as an inventory clerk, she morphed through about nine VERY unique and different positions, mostly with Slakey Brothers (for 34 years) ending up as their Cooperative Credit Manager.

Upon their retirements, Gwyneth and Dennis moved to their current house in Fair Oaks where they live with their Labrador Retriever, Raven. Gwyneth sewed all kinds of things during her life and had promised herself that when she retired she would learn how to quilt and that she has done. She signed up for a class at Thistle Dew and was hooked. Her 1st quilt was given to the oldest of her 5 grandchildren.

Then, Gwyneth, through the Rotary Club, met our president, Vicki Walter. One night they were talking and Vicki mention our Golden Valley Quilt Guild. Gwyneth joined immediately.

Look for her to be volunteering for a position in the guild very soon.



# **General Meeting Minutes - May**

**Thursday, May 27, 2021** 

Meeting was called to order at 6:58 p.m.

There were 55 attendees and 1 guest.

Acknowledgement of guest Gail Lombard.

Visiting Guild had to cancel.

No approval of previous month's minutes as they were not in newsletter.(will seek approval next month)

Member birthdays acknowledged.

Parade of Community Service Quilts.

Candice Buerer announced that guest speaker for June meeting will be Jane Howarth and her workshop will be June 26.

July's meeting will consist of Community Service Sew Along from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m.

(Pattern will be "Switched" by Villa Rosa Quilt Designs) August meeting will include ice cream social and member craft and fabric sale.

**Linda Sliepen** announced that there are still a few members who have not paid their dues. Linda also asked members to consider giving a ride to a person who does not drive. Several members offered to take one month of giving a ride each.

Linda also announced May 29 "Sew Along" (pattern is "Birdie" by Villa Rosa Designs)

**Sheila Galuza** announced that Community Service "duties" are available in case anyone wants to volunteer. Sheila also announced that hospice is requesting red, white and blue quilts and she has organization that is accepting donations of "anything within reason" for Camp Fire survivors. Contact Sheila for details.

Candice Buerer and her committee for May Tea provided lively games with prizes as well as "flower pin" craft project. Members wore colorful hats and brought decorative lunch baskets. A cake, ice cream bars and hot water for tea were provided by members/guild.

### **Bring and Brag**

Door prizes went to Joanna Galuza, Sandee Rudolph and Kriss Gross.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:40 pm

Christine Canelo - Secretary

Next Newsletter Deadline: Thursday, August 12th Please mark your calendar!

# **General Meeting Minutes - June**

June 24, 2021, 7:00 pm

Members "paraded" community service quilts while others found their seats.

Meeting called to order at 7:02 p.m.

Guests acknowledged: 1 guest and one person who joined guild at meeting.

**Visiting Guild**: Sierra Gold Quilt Guild presenting opportunity quilt: "Blue Moon Homespun"

Quilt will be raffled off on December 14, 2021

### **Program: Jane Haworth**

Members birthdays acknowledged: Donna Madrid, Lauren Markell, Robin Bess, Susan Zubillaga, Rachele Doty and Dianne Round.

Minutes from April, 2021 General Meeting Approved. No reports from Officers and Standing Committees other than the following:

**Candice Buerer from Programs** announced June workshop with Jane Haworth.

**Linda Sliepen announced "community service sew day"** at July meeting from 4:30 p.m.-9 p.m.(bring bag dinner or order) Pattern that will be used is Villa Rosa Designs "Stitched"

### Bring and Brag

Number of members attending 53 plus 1 guest.

**Drawings**: Quilted Treasures and Membership

### Announcements:

Amador Valley Quilters are having a "Fabric Extravaganza" on July 16, 17, 30, and 31, 2021.

Thursday, August 5, 2021: Board meeting at 6:30 pm via Zoom

Thursday, July 22, 2021: Community Service Sew Day from 4:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Thursday, August 26, 2021: Combined Ice Cream Social with sewing and craft sale

Adjournment: 9:02 p.m.

Christine Canelo, Secretary



If you know of a guild member who needs a little, or a lot, of encouragement or a congratulation, call Kimberly Hess so she can send out a card from the guild. Kimberly's contact information is:

916-838-1640 or email at dalsnquilts@yahoo.com

### S'Witched Pattern

I just finished making 2 quilts using the S'Witched pattern; however, I altered it. The pattern calls for a quilt measuring 54" x 57".

Since the CS batting is only 45" wide, instead of cutting 10" squares like the pattern says, I cut 9" x 11" rectangles.

This made the quilt 40" wide x 51" long (unfinished); allowing me to rollover the backing. (If a person wanted a 45" width quilt, a border could be added.)

Let me explain why I cut the rectangles only 9" wide. It's because, when I was looking at my stash from Carol Black, I found a bundle of 9" x WOF fabric I still have more of that, so may make more.

Here's a photo of one....

Hazel Williams

# **Calling All Bargello Lovers**

Several members have asked for a class on making a bargello quilt. I'd be happy to teach the class since I love bargellos. We'll start simply. You'll have your choice of two patterns; both use only two fabrics. The first is a Villa Rosa Designs card called **Bohemia.** It uses a gradated (light to dark) or ombre (dark to light to dark) fabric and a themed fabric. The second is a pattern by Susie Weaver, titled **Two Fabric Bargello Pattern**, available online at Brooklyn Fabric Company. I've also asked Susan at Swifty Stitches to see if she can order this pattern so we might have a local source. This pattern includes instructions for 3 distinct designs and only needs two fabrics — an ombre and a companion print.

Once you have the concept down, you can move on to more advanced ones like those in the book, Twist and Turn Bargello Quilts, by Eileen Wright, available on Amazon. Although these quilts look impossible, the hardest part is picking out 21 fabrics that compliment each other. You may need someone like me to answer questions and offer encouragement, but you'll be able to tackle anything in this book once you understand how the optical illusion of movement is produced. There is absolutely NOTHING more than straight seams in any of these bargello quilts.

So if I'm speaking your language, please let me know which pattern interests you. We don't currently have a workshop for August so this might fit perfectly into the schedule. You can leave me a message at 916-725-2800 or drop me an email at:

LLSLIEPEN@COMCAST.NET

Linda

### **Share & Care**

Janet Gilstrap - On our way home from Oregon last week, I got to stop at a great shop in Susanville. It's Country Pines Quilt Shop and it has a lot of everything. They also have a retreat cottage for rent for up to 6 quilters. Susanville is 80 miles northwest of Reno. The cottage is across the parking lot from the shop & near the owner's home. If you & your friends are interested, their website is:

countrypinesquiltshop.com.





# Community Service Sew

Day (Continued from page 1)

FAQ's

Do I have to sew? Nope, you can come even if you do not plan to sew. Some in the past have offered to do cutting or pressing for another quilter. Some have come to just visit. Come do what you can!

Do I have to sew the VR pattern? What if I have my own pattern I would like to make a CS quilt from? Again, you do not have to sew the donated pattern, you can work on the quilt of your choosing.

I don't want to bring my sewing machine out at night, is there something else I can do? Sure, like mentioned above, you can offer to cut or press for another quilter. But what about bringing a quilt that needs the binding finished! Maybe you are a prolific quilter and would never have a quilt with the binding left to do, what now? Offer to hand stitch a binding on a quilt for another member; -) Psst, if you are one of those quilters that have a binding attached to your quilt, but just needs to be hand stitched, bring it along!

I get off work at 5pm, may I still come and sew? Sure, come when you can.

We look forward to seeing and sewing with you!

Any questions? Ask Linda Sliepen or Sheila Galuza