

# Golden Valley News Patches



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# **November Program**

Speaker - Joy-Lily

Meet Joy-Lily, our November speaker and workshop featuring silk dying. Joy lily's Is a fabric painter, dire cup maker and fabric printer. She gets her ideas through nature's objects such as leaves, shells and flowers. Her work Has been exhibited all over the nation, Germany and Beijing. We are excited to have her as our speaker and teaching us Painting on silk.

# **Zephyr Retreat 2023**

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, June 4th to Friday, June 9th

Come join your follow quilters for five days of quilting, sewing, fun, food, games and laughter in beautiful South Lake Tahoe! Just think: five days of quilting, morning, noon and night if your heart so desires! More information on page 8.



# Visiting Quilt will be:

Needle Nellies

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#### **Snippets** . . . from the president

Random thoughts from Donna ...

Well it looks like fall has finally arrived, and I am so happy! This is my favorite time of the year. Did I mention I love fall? And the cooler weather, apple cider, cooler weather, making soups, and cooler sweater weather! I love the smells of the holidays, all the beautiful colors of all the foliage, and most of all gathering with friends and family. Yep! I am a truly blessed happy girl!

I have given up on my pursuit of getting my sewing room down-sized and tidy. Just too many things going on in my life and too many things I need to get done for the holidays. We thought it was going to be a small quiet Thanksgiving and Christmas, but as it turns out, plans have changed and the whole family is gathering here. So I am going to enjoy the celebrations and my family. Then I can get back to this mess in January. You know sometimes you make plans, things change, and you have to just go with the flow.

I am really looking forward to this month's speaker Joy Lily, and taking her workshop. It's always fun to learn something new. Maybe we will even find a way to use some of what we learn in our quilting.

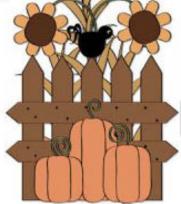
And, speaking of meetings ... don't forget that this month's meeting is a week early due to Thanksgiving. Be sure to mark November 17<sup>th</sup> on your calendar. Next month is our Christmas luncheon, and we have a couple of special things planned, including the drawing for this year's opportunity quilt, as well as the reveal of the 2023 opportunity quilt. I have seen it and I think you are all going to be pleasantly surprised. It's awesome! That will be on December 10<sup>th</sup>, 11 – 2. As always, it will be a pot luck, so start thinking about a dish to bring and share. I also want to thank those of you who volunteered to decorate a

table for the Christmas luncheon. We have done this a few times in the past and it's really fun to see what themes and decorations they come up with.

Hope to see you all at this month's meeting!

Donna





#### **GVQG Board - 2022 to 2023**

President	Donna Palmer	916-342-7194
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Zephyr Retreat	Gwyneth Dunbar Christine Canelo Barbie Robertson	916-838-1175 916-769-5690 916-475-4350



# Programs, Workshops, & Events

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: Christine Canello at 916-769-5690 or Barbie Roberston at 916-475-4350

Click on blue active links below for full information.

#### November

Meeting: Speaker: Joy Lily

Date: Thursday, November 17th, 7pm

Workshop: Silk Dying

Date: Saturday, November 19th



#### December

Event: Christmas Party

Date: Saturday, December 10th, 11am to 2pm

#### January

Meeting: Speaker: Yvonne Phenicie

Date: Thursday, January 26th, 7pm

Workshop: Curved Piecing

Date: Saturday, January 28th



#### **February**

Meeting: Speaker: Melissa Lee - Surface Patterns

Date: Thursday, February 23rd, 7pm

Workshop: Donna Dale - Precision Piecing

Date: Saturday, February 25th

#### March

Meeting: Speaker: Judy Scollay - Trunk Show

Date: Thursday, March 23rd, 7pm

Workshop: Leaves

Date: Saturday, March 25th



#### **Calendar of Events**

Always check for updated information when going out of town.

#### **November 12 & 13**

Pioneer Quilters Guild Quilt Show and Sale. November 12 - 13. Sat. 10 - 5, Sun. 10 - 4. Vendors, Boutique, Prizes, Lunch & Quilts for sale. Roseville Sport Center, 1545 Pleasant Grove Blvd. Roseville.

#### January 28th

Zoom Workshop by Karen Combs - 9:30 am to 12:30 pm
A beautiful quilt with the illusion of depth. Check here to see quilts from her previous classes. https://www.instagram.com/karendcombs/Class cost does not include supplies. Jewel Box pattern \$10 https://karencombsstudio.squarespace.com/shop/p/jewel-box-pattern
\$70 Non-member To register for the class click here. https://www.gqccc.org/january-28-2023/

#### February 25 & 26th

Quilt Show: Pajaro Valley Quilt Guild Sat. 10-5, Sun. 10-4, Santa Cruz County Fairgrounds, Watsonville

#### March 3 - 5

Quilt Show: Folsom Quilt & Fiber Guild, Live the Adventure - Stitch by Stitch www.folsomquilt.org

# **Opportunity Quilt Tickets**

Do not forget to turn in your tickets stubs, See you on Nov.17th.

See you on Nov.17th. Drawing on Dec.10th.

Martha Hess 916-222-9075 or cell 916-809-0147

# Cameo's Sit 'N Sew & More

Workshop Space for Quilters and other Creatives

Evening times (4pm-10pm available for groups on weekends and some weekdays.

Please email for information peggy@cameossitnsew.com



Nancy	Grundel	11/04
Linda	Zisko	11/04
Jayma	Valentine	11/05
Kristine	Gross	11/06
Kim	Brownell	11/07
Gabriele	Wildanger	11/08
Ann	Barrow	11/09
Judi	Montgomery	11/09
Gloria	Hanson	11/11
Cordelia	Min	11/12
Lindsay	Johnston	11/25

If it is your birthday, please be sweet and share a treat.



Treasurer's Report -October 2022		
Bank Balance beginning October	\$38,213.19	
Monthly Income	\$2,640.00	
Monthly Expenses	\$3,538.79	
Net Income/Loss	-\$898.79	
Bank Balance at end October	\$37,314.40	
Less Dedicated Funds:		
Mercy Retreat-Income	\$8,996.00	
Zephyr Retreat Income	\$1,400.00	
Charitable/Education	\$11,168.00	
Available Funds at the October	\$15,750.40	

# **General Meeting Minutes - September**

Meeting held Thursday, September 22, 2022

Call to order: 7:02pm. 51 members attending, 3 guests (Thank you to Dianne Round for hosting)

Visiting Quilt Guild: Oroville Piecemakers: Shared their opportunity quilt, a whole cloth quilt measuring 102x102" with edge to edge quilting design

Birthday members were wished happy birthday.

Minutes for August meeting were approved as written with no corrections.

Newsletter deadline: Monday, October 17, 2022

Board Meeting: October 13, 2022

#### New Business:

1. Christmas Party Organizer wanted. Need member to design the theme for the December Christmas party.

Reports--officers and standing committees

- 1. Workshop:
- Christina Camelli--Scrappy Quilts. No class fee, just bring scraps. Reminder of class fees--Members pay \$30.00 and non-members pay \$40.00
- Sulky Strap Happy Class to be held on Wednesday, October 19, 2022. There is no fee for this zoom class....live at 9:00am. Carolyn Monson will send a link to all members. Last day to order a kit is September 28, 2022.
- Silk Dying by Joy-lily class on November 19, 2022. Supplies \$15.00. See Barbie Robertson for more details.
- 2. It was announced the member sew along will be held on Saturday, September 24, 2022 from 10am until 2pm and hosted by Sheila Galuza. Choice of pattern: Tulsa Town or Wistful, card quilt patterns from Villa Rosa Designs. Carolyn Monson will send a zoom link.

3. Community Service did a quilt walk-around

- 4. Retreats: Mercy--Christine Canello standing in for Cordelia Min and Natalie Davey reported a payment due of \$99.00
- 5. Hospitality: Ice Cream served! We give a big thank you for all the yummy treats.
- 6. Need Christmas quilts for charity at October or November meeting. Volunteers of America would appreciate quilts and the Veterans are asking for Busy Blankets.

#### Program:

- 1. Thank you to all the members who shared their favorite quilting tool. Laurene Fitzpatrick won the prize drawing for her favorite tool presentation
- 2. Phyllis Day presented "My Favorite Scrap Block" with the members. She showed a beautiful quilt using scraps in lights and darks.
- 3. Thank you to all members who showed their challenge quilts from the luncheon (held September 10, 2022)
- 4. Thank you to all members who showed their Sashiko rice bags from the last workshop.
- 5. Lauren Markell gave a small trunk show of panel quilts.

Bring And Brag: Thank you to these members for sharing: Linda Zisko, Christine Canello, Becky Montgomery, Janet Gilstrap and Judy Scott.

Quilted Treasures: Winners are Barbie Robertson, Bev Purdue, Tommi Bowlton and Jody Groves.

Member drawing: Karen Riggs and Lauren Markell

Meeting adjourned at 8:28pm

Respectfully submitted, Julie Sackett - acting Secretary



Day & Evening Sit & Sews Available 15% Birthday Discount Rewards Points for most products

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Corner of Fair Oaks Blvd & San Juan Ave Monday – Saturday: 10:00am – 4:00pm Sunday: 10:00am – 2:00pm



Laurene Fitzpatrick Leann Dickinson
Betty Hoogland Amy Pare
Marie Dunn

Please look for new members and make them feel welcome. EVERYONE - Wear your name tag!



#### **Member Photos**

If we don't have your photo for the Member's Only section on the Website, PLEASE get Carolyn's attention at the next meeting. She will take several iPhone photos and you can pick your favorite.

If you have a digital photo you like, PLEASE <u>email it</u> to <u>Carolyn</u> - the bigger the better. If it is a group photo she can crop just you out.



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

# **Membership**

The October 27th meeting had 66 members in attendance. We had 13 guests, 3 of whom joined that night.

Welcome to our members Betty Hoogland, Amy Pare & Marie Dunn. The Swifty Stitches door prize was won by Kathy Cunningham and the membership prize was won by Liz Johndreau.

Thank you to Shelia Galuza for hosting our many guests. Several guests were there because they wanted to hear our speaker, Christina Cameli. She has quite a following from her online classes. Also, thank you to Debra Ludden for volunteering to host at the November meeting.

Sharon Baxter & Janet Gilstrap - Membership Chairs





# **Community Service**

Please note that if you have Christmas donations for Community Service please bring them to the November 17th guild meeting. We will <u>not</u> have Community Service at our December Christmas luncheon.

Thanks to everyone that donated quilts this past October. 51 quilts were turned in. To date we have donated 624 quilts to our various agencies.

#### October donations:

Betty Hoogland 4
Jayma Valentine 2
Martha Kunkel 3
Sheila Foster 2
Cindi Oseto 3
Pat Gossett 5
Martha Hess 3
Adelia Keller 1
Janet Gilstrap 1
Christine Canelo 1
ShirLee Belisle 2
Lauren Markell 8

Thank you for deliveries this month by Jody Groves ,Rachel Hernandez and Phyllis Esteves.

As ever, thank you GVQG members for your generosity, time and donations. They are truly appreciated by all.

Lauren Markell & Phyllis Esteves - CS Co-chairs



# **Christmas Stockings**

We will again be donating stockings to the Children's Receiving Home of Sacramento. They absolutely loved the stockings and gifts donated in 2021.

We will have patterns for stockings at the November 17 guild meeting or you are more than welcome to design your own and, there will be a list distributed for items suggested by the Receiving Home and/or you can do your own thing as many of us have in the past.

We will have a table at the luncheon to display the stockings, a time to vote and someone will receive a nice prize!

Thank you in advance for opening your hearts in contributing to make some less fortunate children have a Merry Christmas. They truly do appreciate it.

Lauren and Donna





# Remember . . . for 2022-2023 Please make a note of it!

If you don't know what this image means . . . please ask Membership or the Webmaster.





# GVQG Photo Albums - 2003 to 2008

For several years, GVQG photo albums were maintained and updated by our historians. Then, most of us acquired cell phones with cameras. Then, our newsletters and Facebook belonger a need for our photo albums.

So, the albums be at our Christmas Party where you can go through them, see a younger versions of yourself, and remove & keep any photos that you'd like. At some point in the very near future ... the albums will be destroyed.

Not a member back in those days? It's still fun to go through them and see many of the activities we were involved in. See if you can spot someone you know!



# **Bring & Brag - October**

Phyllis Day - small wall quilt Linda Zisko – Beach quilt Robin Bess - minkee quilt Brenda? – quilted bag Cordelia Min - rice bag purse Lauren Markell - Christmas quilt Judy Scollay – miniature fall tree Candice Buerer - small wall quilt Adilia Keller - Dog & snow quilts Barbie Robertson – I spy, curved pieced, & scrap Kaffe quilts

Cathy Zimmerman - stack & whack quilt Tracy Trimble – 5 quilts and a wall hanging Christine Canelo – octopus, dog, & Elvis quilts Shirlee Belisle - Christmas & Endless Love quilt Sue Terwilliger - tropical fish & granddaughter's quilt

# Facebook Autumn Mystery Participants

If you made, or even partially made, the Autumn Mystery on the guild facebook page, please bring your quilts to share at the November meeting.

We'd love to see them, even if they are not completed.

# Merrily We Sew-Along...

As snow continues to pile up in the mountains, how appropriate that this month's sew-along selection is titled SIERRA SNOW. It's a simple Bargello pattern requiring 6 complimentary half yards of gan including photographs of our activities. Sadly, there was no fabric to make a 47"x54" lap size quilt to snuggle in while reading a good book or watching a Hallmark Christmas movie. Add backing and another ½ yd of fabric for binding and you're all set. Join us on Zoom, Saturday, November 12, from 10am – 2pm, for strip sewing at its simplest. This pattern will go together rapidly.

> This is the last Sew-Along for 2022. We'll be taking December off to get immersed in all the hustle and bustle of the holiday season.

We'll be in our places, with bright shiny faces again in January to continue our sewing journey. The January pattern - Serengeti - will afford us a refresher on HSTs. This one also has a mini version. In February we'll piece Mardi Gras. There is a video tutorial on You-Tube to go along with this pattern. The tutorial includes a bonus pattern for a small quilt made with your scraps. In March, we'll celebrate St. Paddy's Day with Pinch Me, an Irish chain quilt including lucky four-leaf clovers. Once again, this pattern has a mini version.

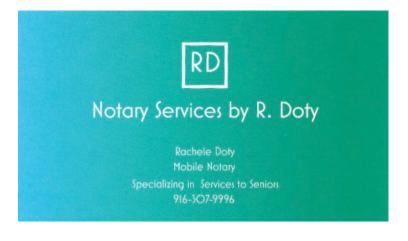
Remember our Sew-Along rules:

- We meet on Zoom; no need to dress up.
- There are "attendance" prizes.
- Sew for yourself or community service.
- Sew the project suggested or do own
- Just sit and chat if that's what you feel like doing.
- When you're out and about, if you find a pattern you'd like to try or thing the group would enjoy, let me know so we can work it into an upcoming session.
- Most of all, have fun and watch your Saturday just "zoom" by.

Looking forward to our next Zoom session on Saturday,

Linda Sliepen





# President's Quilt for Donna Palmer

At the October guild meeting I introduced the pattern for the President's quilt for Donna Palmer. It is my privilege to make, with the help of guild members, a quilt for Donna to thank her for her service to the guild this year. It has been an honor for me each time I was asked to participate in making a block for the outgoing president's quilt. I have chosen a pattern that I feel that even the 'newest to quilting' guild members can easily make a block. If you were not at the meeting, or if you want more details on the block, please contact me and I will be glad to share the pattern/directions with you.

For those who were at the October guild meeting, remember to shrink your stitch length and please do not trim your blocks. You can bring them to the next meeting and give them to me there.

Thanks so much for your participation.

Sheila G



# **UFO Challenge**

Hello, to all quilters who have started a quilting project but have not finished it! **This is for you.;-**)

As I was listening to a quilting story, there was a quilt related game that they played at the end of the quilter's evening together. This question was asked, "How many *UFO*'s do you have?" What is a quilting *UFO* you might wonder?

It is an *U*nfinished *F*abric *O*bject.

One quilter in the story had zero *UFO*'s, and the quilter that had the most had 117.

I got to thinking, "I wonder how many *UFO*'s I personally have?" As I thought of projects started and now languishing in project boxes in various rooms/closets in my home, I realized that I had MORE *UFO*'s than I realized!! I decided that I should count them and list them on a sheet of paper so that I could see and remember each one and come up with a plan to finish them.

I got to thinking that as I have *UFO*'s, maybe other guild members have a few too and would like to be challenged to finish theirs also.

If you would like to join in the challenge, begin by counting how many *UFO*'s that you have. List them on a sheet of paper (or two sheets, or 20). That's it for this month. Just count them. Or not. It is up to you.

See you at the November meeting.....

Sheila G

# **Zephyr Retreat 2023**

#### Sunday, June 4th to Friday, June 9th

As with everything else this year prices have gone up a bit. The room rates are \$140 per night and the meal plans are \$224 per person. Our setup/takedown fee is \$275 and will be divided up among the number of attendees that sign-up.

We have 13 rooms reserved and we need a minimum of 20 meal plans purchased. Rooms are single, double, or triple occupancy, with a limited number of single, triple or ADA rooms available.

Member Fee: \$588 (Based on double occupancy) Non Member Fee: \$608 (Based on double occupancy)

If we do not get the required amount of persons for the free class room, rates may go higher.

Zephyr Applications will be available at the November guild meeting, on the Website, and in the November newsletter - see page 9.

Payment schedule is as follows:

November: \$200January: \$200

• March: Remaining balance

A note from Barbie and Christine: We have been busy planning games, gifts and prizes for everyone attending our Zephyr retreat - wow, we are going to have a lot of fun!

In addition to our goodies, we are planning on having a "free" table, so start saving your unwanted gems to share!

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your 2023 Zephyr team:

Gwyneth Dunbar, Christine Canelo, or Barbie Robertson.



# General Meeting Minutes - October

Thursday, Oct. 27, 2022

#### Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m.

Visiting guild: Pine Tree Quilt Guild

Approval of September minutes — Not yet distributed, will be presented for approval at the November meeting.

Newsletter Deadline is November 6th

The November meeting will be held one week early on Nov. 17th due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Next Board Meeting will be Nov. 3, 2022 at 6:30 pm via Zoom.

Member Birthdays acknowledged: Kathy Quilty, Sally Flake, Cindy Oseto, Martha Kunkel, Beverly Cook, Debbie Walker-Steffens, Marilyn Schultz, Chad Zimmerman, Nancy Holinski, Vivian Ticer, Claudia Sumpter

**New Business:** Sign ups are being taken for the Christmas Party table decorating.

#### **Reports of Officers and Standing Committees:**

Sheila Galuza - Is taking sign ups for those who are interested in making blocks for the new President's quilt with a water-ocean theme in shades of blue.

Martha Hess - has Opportunity Quilt raffle tickets to be picked up and the stubs need to be turned in by the December meeting.

Lauren Markel- 49 Community Service Quilts were turned in tonight and 622 quilts YTD.

Christine Canelo - Saturday's Workshop (Oct. 29) will be Scrappy Quarter Cabins by Christina Cameli

Barbie Robertson - November 19th Workshop will be Hand Dyed Silk Scarf by Joy Lily. December is our Holiday Party, January a Quick Curve Ruler workshop, February Melissa Lee (designer) will be speaking and the Workshop will be on Perfect Piecing, then in March Judy Scaly will present the Leaf Block workshop.

Gwyneth Dunbar is accepting applications for the June 4-9, 2023 Zephyr Point Retreat. Christine mentioned that there will be games and prizes during the Retreat.

Cordelia Min - both Mercy retreats for 2023 are full and she is accepting payments for those signed up. Those who have decided not to attend are urged to let her know ASAP so that she can fill those spots from the waiting list.

Sheila Galuza is starting a UFO Project. Those who want to participate are to ask themselves how many UFO's they have and count them up. Next month she'll have another assignment for us.

Program 7:30 - 8:15: Christian Cameli "Scrap Happy" Break at 8:15 pm.

8:37 pm Bring and Brag

8:57 Drawings and Door Prizes

**Attendance:** 66 members, 3 new members, 10 guests

Meeting adjourned at 9:04 pm

Candice Buerer - Secretary



#### **GVQG ZEPHYR POINT RETREAT APPLICATION**

Join us for a five-day retreat at Zephyr Point Conference Center, located on beautiful Lake Tahoe, a few miles northeast of South Lake Tahoe, in Zephyr Cove, Nevada.

#### Sunday, June 4th to Friday, June 9th, 2023

We are offering a three-tier system depending on how many members are in a room. The room rate is a flat \$140 a night and meals are \$224. Our setup/takedown fee of \$275 will be divided up between the number of attendees we have. We have 13 rooms available for us and we need a minimum of 20 meal plans purchased.

Member Fee: approximately \$475 to \$675 Nonmember Fee: approximately \$495 to \$695

#### Fee includes:

- Single, double or triple occupancy room
- 14 meals: Sunday dinner through Friday breakfast
- Use of Inspiration Point workroom as our sewing room; secured at night and during meals (6- or 8foot table per attendee); setup and takedown fee

#### Payment schedule:

November: \$200	January: \$200	00 March: outstanding balance		
4769 Walnut Rd., Fai Questions: Christine	r Oaks, CA 95628 Canelo: <u>auntchris@h</u>	otmail.com or Barbi	e Robertson: <u>bar</u>	ment to: Gwyneth Dunbar,
Name		Phone	The second secon	Membership #
Email		Cell		
Special needs				
(physical impairment	affecting room assig	nment, dietary need	s, allergies, etc.)	
Room Preference (sir	ngle, double, triple)	1st choice	2 <sup>nd</sup> cho	vice
Roommate(s) prefere	ence			
Circle one: Early r	iser Late	riser		
Other considerations				
(light sleeper, snorer	, etc.)			
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