

# Golden Valley News Patches

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## January Program

Yvonne Phenicie

Yvonne Phenicie is a quilt maker, teacher and designer. Not shy about using color, you will find that most of her quilts are bright and fun. She has been a quilt maker since 1990, when she started working at a local quilt shop. There she taught quilt classes, everything from beginning kids to paper piecing and more. She has been lucky enough to continue teaching quilt classes both in Northern and Southern California, as well as some local quilt shop. In 2017 she taught a paper piecing class at the Quilt Jamboree in Redding, California. In 2019 she became a Certified Teacher of Sew Kind of Wonderful quilt patterns and the Quick Curve Rulers.

She is a member of the Pacific Flyway Quilt Guild in Colusa and the Orland Quilt Guild in Orland, California. She has been president of the Pacific Flyway guild twice. As a part of the group she has designed and made two of their opportunity quilts, as well as being a part of their 2018 and 2019 opportunity quilts.

Yvonne lives in the Northern California town of Colusa with her husband Mike a retired Jr High and High School Music teacher. Yvonne retired in 2016 from the County Office of Education as a Special Education Transportation Assistant. When not quilting they enjoy camping and traveling in their RV.

They also enjoy spending as much time as they can with their five grandchildren.

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## Snippets

... from the president



Another year has gone by, and a new one has begun.

Last year was a year with a lot of ups and downs for so many of us. There were weddings, new babies, loss of family, and friends. Some days are a struggle and on those days especially we need to count our blessings, and lean on friends and family. My heart breaks for those who have lost and I hope that you can find comfort in the coming year.

It's January and I am going through all my UFO's and making some hard choices. Thank you Sheila Galuza for giving me a little kick start with your UFO Challenge. I'm trying to decide which ones I should complete, take apart to make something different, or donate. I am determined to purge and simplify. I had decided my resolution was going to be that I wouldn't purchase any new fabric, unless it was needed to complete a project I've already started. Well 3 days into the New Year I found a pattern I love and of course I ordered it, and then I had to order some fabrics for it. Then on the 4th day I signed up for a block of the month through a quilt shop. Heaven help me because I apparently do not have any control. It truly is a sickness. LOL

Our president elect, Sheila Galuza, is looking for members to help with committees and board positions for the upcoming year, starting in April. You might be thinking "I don't have time" or "I don't know if I can do something like that", or perhaps "I don't think I would be of any help". It really does take a lot of hands to keep our guild running, and we would love to have help no matter how much or how little you know. We have a lot of people willing to guide and assist, and depending on how much time you have to volunteer, we have positions that take little time as well as some that take up a bit more time. We love everyone's input and opinions. So please consider volunteering and helping out. There is a list of board positions and committees in this newsletter. Look through them and see if there is something you'd like to help with. And even better - get a friend or two and take on one of them as a team. It's fun to work alongside others and you can bounce ideas off of each other. So please give it a try! This guild belongs to all of us.

Hope to see you all at guild.

Donna

Visiting Quilt will be:

Pioneer Quilt Guild

Next Newsletter Deadline:

Thursday, February 12th  
Please mark your calendar!

## GVQG Board - 2022 to 2023

President	Donna Palmer	916-342-7194
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## Committees - 2022 to 2023

Advertising	Valerie Wong	916 347-2640
Bring & Brag	Nancy Grundel	916-505-1264
Community Service	Laureen Markell & Phyllis Esteves	425-418-0203 916-849-6050
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Friendship	Kimberley Hess	916-838-1640
Hospitality	Pat Gossett	916-600-5921
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Op. Quilt-Visiting	Dianne Round	916-961-3321
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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 Canelo at 916-769-5690  
or Barbie Roberston at 916-475-4350

Click on [blue active links below](#) for full information.

### January

Meeting: Speaker: [Yvonne Phenicie](#)

Date: Thursday, January 26th, 7p

Workshop: Curved Piecing

Date: Saturday, January 28th



### February

Meeting: Speaker: [Melissa Lee](#) - Surface Pattern Design

Date: Thursday, February 23rd, 7pm

Workshop: Donna Dale - Precision Piecing. Class is full.

Date: Saturday, February 25th

### March

Meeting: Speaker: [Judy Scollay](#) - Trunk Show

Date: Thursday, March 23rd, pm

Workshop: Seminole Patchwork

Date: Saturday, March 25th



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11/12  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
Arrow Chair!

11/19  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
bernette b64!

11/25  
BLACK FRIDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
Baby Lock Zest!

11/26  
SATURDAY



**Giveaway:**  
Advent Calendar!

12/3  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
Riccar Gem and MiniAttachment!

12/10  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
Daylight Lamp!

12/17  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
bernette b33!

12/24  
SATURDAY



**Door Buster Prize:**  
Sewing Essentials Gift Basket!

Special Holiday Make and Take Projects!



Disney's Frozen Ornaments!  
Reversible Holiday Napkins!  
Christmas Tree Skirt!

Check the online schedule for each store location \*

\* Limit one per person. Offer ends December 24, 2022.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Laurene	Fitzpatrick	01/01
Bea	Haralson	01/01
Sharon	Buntjer	01/07
Betty	Hoogland	01/09
Valerie	Kinion	01/11
Jody	Groves	01/14
Cathy	Zimmerman	01/14
Russell	Droege	01/19
Rachel	Hernandez	01/23
Karen	Gray	01/24

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



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## Calendar of Events

Always check for updated information when going out of town.

### 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 below.

<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](http://www.folsomquilt.org)



### March 4

Workshop: Artful Couching.

**Zoom Workshop**, 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Fees: Class cost does not include supplies.

\$45 GQCCC Member / \$55 Sister Guild / \$65 Non-member

<https://www.gqccc.org/march-04-2023/>

### March 4 - 5

Quilt Show: Manteca Quilters Guild, Saturday 9-4, Sunday 9-3

Admission \$10 cash only. [www.mantecaquilters.com](http://www.mantecaquilters.com)

### March 24 - 25

Quilt Show: SF Quilters Guild, Cathedral of Saint Mary of the

Assumption, 1111 Gough St, San Francisco, Fri. 10-6, Sat. 10-5

Admission \$15 or \$12 in advance. [www.sfquiltersguild.org](http://www.sfquiltersguild.org)

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Monday – Saturday: 10:00am – 4:00pm

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## Share & Care

**Rita Traxler** - Come join us at my McCloud Retreat this April for 4 days of sewing, friendship and Fun. Monday April 24<sup>th</sup> – Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup>. Contact me for details. [rquilts@comcast.net](mailto:rquilts@comcast.net)

**Jody Groves** - It was my pleasure to represent the Golden Valley Quilt Guild, at the 1st Mercy Peddlers recognition reception. Vendors, volunteers and donors were recognized for their work and donations. Golden Valley Quilt was recognized for donating 204 quilts to date. It was a lovely evening and I was fortunate to meet so many new people all trying to make a difference in our community.

On behalf of Mercy Peddlers, thank you for your donations and support!



**Vicki Walter** - We surprised past president, Tracy Trimble, with her President's quilt at our December luncheon.



**Linda Zisko** - I had 2 manuals printed by a professional printer. The total cost was \$39.01 with set up, printing, spiral binding and plastic covers. I had 175 pages printed. Fed ex wanted \$79 for one in black and white and it took 3 days.

I went to CRISP Imaging 4823 Auburn Blvd. 916 344-6742

The people there were great and it was ready for pick up in 1 1/2 hours. They do enlargements. And color copies very reasonable.

## Sew-Along News

Our Sew-Along sessions will continue in 2023 on the second Saturday of the month, but I need to cancel this month due to unforeseen circumstances.

Please mark your calendar for February 11.

Linda Sliepen



## Community Service - December

Once again members of GVQG have done an outstanding service in helping many children have a Merry Christmas.

You donated 40 stockings to the Children's Receiving Home of Sacramento. Many many thanks for your generosity. The stockings and gifts were delivered December 14.

Your voting at the luncheon chose Melissa Pedroza with the winning stocking, she was presented a gift certificate to Swifty Stitches as the prize.

Thanks again to everyone that participated in this event. The Receiving Home was very appreciative of our donations.

Lauren Markell Lauren Markell and Phyllis Esteves  
Community Service Co-chairs

## Bring & Brag - December

Donna Palmer	Ho Ho Ho Quilt
Maryanne Paveglio	Christmas Tree
Martha Hess	Embroidery Games
Liz Johndreau	Shirt Quilt
Janet Gilstrap	Christmas Quilt & Joy-Lily Scarves
Lauren Markell	Jewelry
Candice Buerer	Tree Mini Quilt & Potholder
Barbie Robertson	Silk Scarf
Beverly Purdue	Apron & Wall Hang-



## 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



## Membership:

There were 57 guild members attending the Christmas party. We had 13 guests and the ROTC members who also joined us for our buffet. One new member, Diana Sloneker, joined our guild that day.

Membership Chairs  
Sharon Baxter & Janet Gilstrap

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Diana Sloneker

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

**Treasurer's Report** - December 2022

Bank Balance beginning of month	\$36,767.34
Monthly Income	\$2,170.00
Monthly Expenses	\$1,282.75
Net Income/Loss	\$887.25

Bank Balance at end of month	\$37,654.59
Less Dedicated Funds:	
Mercy Retreat-Income	\$9,876.11
Zephyr Retreat-Income	\$3,700.00
Charitable/Education	\$11,168.00
Available Funds at end of month	\$12,910.48



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](mailto:dalsnquilts@yahoo.com)

**ZEPHYR RETREAT - 2023**

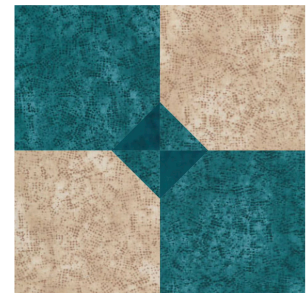
We still have 4 spaces available for the Zephyr Retreat June 4<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>.

We need a minimum of 20 people to sign up. Ask your friends and neighbors if they would like to attend. Cost is approximately \$588 for 5 nights double occupancy and includes all meals and setup and takedown fees. The application form is included in this newsletter.

For those already signed up the second installment payment of \$200 is due at the January guild meeting. Or payments can mailed directly to Gwyneth Dunbar 7469 Walnut Rd, Fair Oaks, CA 95628.

**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.



**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 [email it to Carolyn](#) - the bigger the better. If it is a group photo she can crop just you out.

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### 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 4<sup>th</sup> to Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 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 8-foot table per attendee); setup and takedown fee

Payment schedule:

November: \$200      January: \$200      March: outstanding balance

Payment (personal check) can be made to "GVQG" at the meeting, or mail payment to: Gwyneth Dunbar, 4769 Walnut Rd., Fair Oaks, CA 95628

Questions: Christine Canelo: [auntchris@hotmail.com](mailto:auntchris@hotmail.com) or Barbie Robertson: [barbiecrobertson@gmail.com](mailto:barbiecrobertson@gmail.com)

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Special needs \_\_\_\_\_  
(physical impairment affecting room assignment, dietary needs, allergies, etc.)

Room Preference (single, double, triple)    1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate(s) preference \_\_\_\_\_

Circle one:    Early riser                      Late riser

Other considerations \_\_\_\_\_  
(light sleeper, snorer, etc.)

Emergency Contact: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family/friend \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Payment: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Golden Valley Quilt Guild**  
**Membership 4/1/23 - 3/31/24**  
**Renewals due on or before April 1, 2023**

Please **print** your information clearly or attach an address mailing label.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone\_(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone\_(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday: Month (1 to 12) \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_

May we print your name in the Members' Only section of our website? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

New Members only: How did you hear about our guild? \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Dues: Returning Members: \$30.00 \$\_\_\_\_\_

New Members joining after April 30: Dues are prorated monthly; see Membership Chair.

Optional: Include Opportunity Quilt Tickets (\$10/for a 15-ticket packet) \$\_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to "GVQG".

Turn in at a meeting or . . . Mail to: Sharon Baxter  
8410 Basalt Ct.  
Citrus Heights, CA 95610

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Membership Use Only:)

Date dues paid \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount\_\$ \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_

2022 Opportunity Quilt tickets paid for at this time: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_