



Yuba Sutter

Valley Quilt Guild

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June 2016

Coooky crumbs . . .

This is my last shot at words of wisdom...and I don't have any!!!

Please remember to enter something in the Fair this year. The deadline for entries is July 1st. You can mail in your entry and money or take it to the Fair grounds. I will have forms and info sheets at the meeting. You can go on line to YubaSutterFair.com and download the information and Entry sheet. The quilts go into the Competitive Still Exhibit entry forms. And the

quilts are Division 40 on pages 18-19. Entries are delivered to the Fair grounds on Friday July 22 and Saturday July 23. PLEASE CONSIDER ENTERING SOME THINGS. We always need wonderful entries.

Thank you so much to my Board for the last two years. You have done an outstanding job. It has been a real pleasure to serve with the outgoing Board. Everyone stayed for the long haul and we

worked well together. I am very proud of the Board. Thank you to all you from the bottom of my heart.

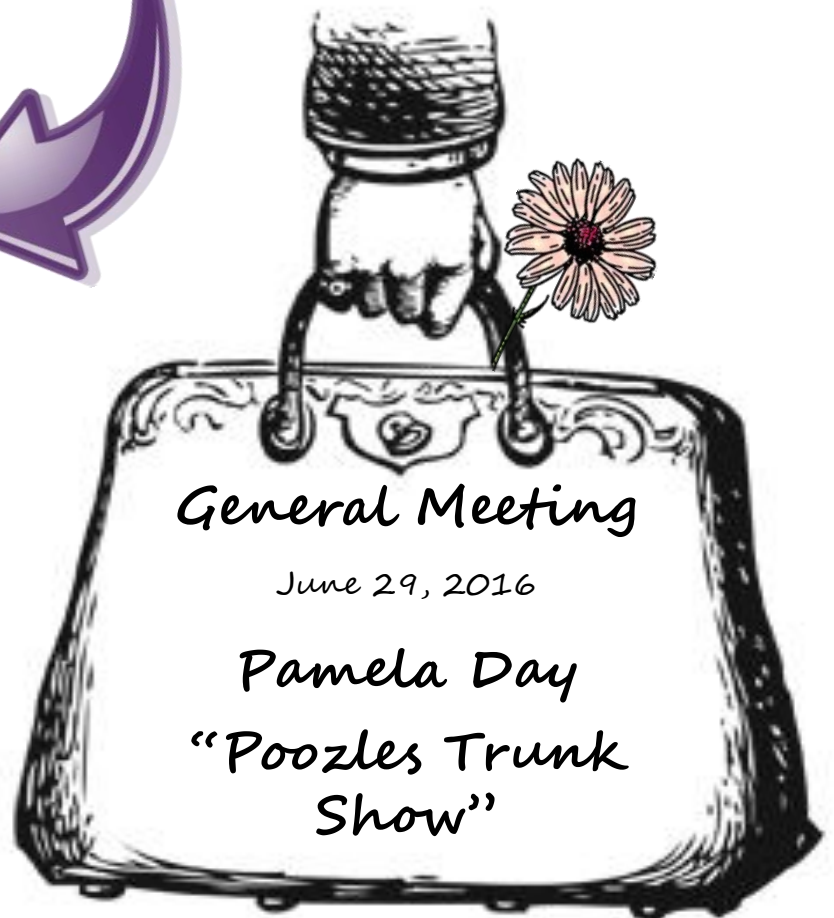
Cooky
Amarel



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2016 Fair Block Contest

Just a reminder to get going on making a block for the Fair Block Contest! The fair has agreed that red, white, and blue patriotic blocks will go with this year's fair theme, "Go For The Gold".

So let's see if we can't get enough blocks to make two quilts like we did the last time there was a patriotic theme.

Click on this link for the fair entry form to print:

<http://ysfair.com/wp-content/uploads/Competitive-Still-Exhibit-ENTRY-FORM.pdf>

Nancy Wilson



QUILT BLOCK CONTEST NO ENTRY FEE

CASH AWARDS: (Sponsored by the Valley Quilt Guild)

1st - \$30.00 2nd - \$25.00 3rd - \$20.00 4th - \$15.00 5th - \$10.00 6th - \$5.00

How to Enter

- Enter as many 'blocks' as you wish.
- Contest is open to all Yuba and Sutter County residents and Valley Quilt Guild members.
- Decisions of the Judges will be final.
- American System of Judging
- Exhibitor must complete entry form at time of delivery of the Quilt block.

THEME: 'GO FOR THE GOLD'

NOTE: Blocks should be Patriotic in Red, White, and Blue.

- The quilt block must measure 12 ½" x 12 ½" to be eligible for competition.
- Blocks that do not square up to 12 ½" will be disqualified.
- Blocks must be made from 100% cotton fabric.
- Use any technique or pattern.
- Do not pre-quilt or back the block.
- Deliver your quilt block to the Home Arts Quilt table by 3:30 pm on Saturday, August 6, 2016.
- Have your name and address applied to the back of the block.
- Quilt blocks will be on display for the remainder of the fair.
- The entries will not be returned.
- A quilt consisting of these blocks will be displayed and raffled at next year's fair.

DIVISION 42-QUILT BLOCK CONTEST

Class

1 Quilt Block

Discounted Admission

Present your entry tag at the Yuba-Sutter Fair office before 5 pm Wednesday, August 3, 2016 and purchase a 2016 Fair General Admission Pass for only \$5 per day! No purchase limit.

Programs and Speakers

Our meeting in May was with Kelly Essary, Monique Figlietti, Angie Horne, Mary Marusin and Kathy Sexton. These five lovely ladies were very entertaining. I really enjoyed each of their stories and quilts.

Thank You ladies for saying yes when we asked you to speak at our meeting.

Our June meeting will be with Pamela Day and her Poozles Trunk Show. You'll get to see all her wonderful purses and the way she embellishes them. We had to cancel her class. We did not have enough members sign up.

In July we will be having an **Ice Cream Social**. Yes, I said ice cream! What's not to like about that? We will be meeting again at St. Andrew on Franklin. So plan on coming to the meeting to say hi to our new

board members. It will be a fun evening.

August brings Linda Ballard to town for a class. This class is a Split 9 Patch. It will be at Fremont Conf. Center on **Saturday Only, August 20th**. The time is 9 am to 5 pm. Please **bring your lunch** and drinks. Lunch will be shorter due to one day class.



Our August general meeting will feature Lisa McKissick the Tool Time Girl. She will have a trunk

show also. Come see all her tools as she explains how to use that tool in your drawer that you can't remember how to use.

Starting July 1st, we will have new VP's. So all contact info will change for programs and classes. Your new VP's are Colleen Pelfrey and Cathy Evans. They will give you their information in the July newsletter so be sure to look for it.

We would like to thank all the members who supported us for the past few years. We did have fun being VP's for you.

Claire Poole
Cheryl Gaines



2017 Quilt Show

The 34th Annual Quilt Show is only 10 months out!!!! During last month's meeting I told you I was going to talk about 4 things. Well I got so excited telling you about the show, committee, and the Opportunity Quilt, that I forgot to tell you was #4 was on my list.

Well #4 is the Featured Quilter for the 34th Annual Show. For the past 11 years, I have been hanging the Beautiful Windsocks and wondering what the quilts looked like that matched the Windsocks.

So, our Featured Quilter for the 34th Show will be as many of the

past Opportunity Quilts that we can find. We have a great list of who won some of them, but there are some holes in the data. I need a volunteer who would like to be a

"Private Eye" and search out and find all of the quilts.

DeRay Jensen
2017 Quilt show chair



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We are the Two Dianas

Diane Leighton and I are very excited to begin our year as VQG Co-Presidents. Why two of us? Each of us had an inkling that we'd like to step up because it looked like no one else was going to, but in our retirement years, we're both traveling a lot and would have missed too many board and general meetings. With 2 of us, at least one of us will be present for all our activities.

We love our VQG! Diane L has been a member since 1983 and I since 1994. We want to have a

guild that YOU would like it to be! At the July meeting, the first we'll be heading, we will have an ice cream social at St. Andrews Church. A half-page questionnaire will be handed out to everyone with a list of ideas for the guild—some new, and some that used to be part of our meetings that you might want to see come back. All you have to do is check off the ideas you like. We'll tally them and make the favorites part of our quilt meetings.

We're open to any ideas you may

have to make our guild enticing for new members and a source of pride for those of us who've been members for decades. So put some thought into it and email your ideas to Valleyquiltcon0416@att.net to enter another contest!

Happy Quilting!

Diane
Steele &
Diane
Leighton



A Year-end Request from the Treasurer

As the end of the term comes to a close so does our finances. If any members have outstanding expenses for the July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016 fiscal year that need to be reimbursed please get them to me ASAP.

You can mail your expense voucher and receipts to me directly at 1100 McClaren Dr, Carmichael, CA 95608

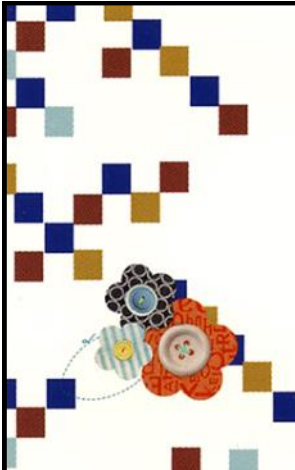
or bring them to me at the last meeting of the term on June 29th. **All expenses MUST be turned in to me no later than our general meeting on June 29th!** After this date the Guild thanks you for your donation.

The June 29th deadline also applies to any money you have collected and needs to hit the 2015-2016 fiscal year. All deposits

need to be made on June 30th so please make sure you bring them with you to the June meeting.

Thank you,
Wendy Cockrell
Treasurer





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Board Meeting Minutes

VALLEY QUILT GUILD BOARD MEETING

June 8, 2016

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cooky Amarel, Cheryl Gaines, Claire Poole, Wendy Cockrell, Linda Matsumoto, Margaret Reherrmann, Delaina Watson, Dee Jagerhorn, Diane Leighton, Nancy Wilson, Kim Buzolich, Jody Ohrt, Heather Chambers, Sharon Easter, Billie Lindgren and Janet Rocher.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 12:06 pm by President Cooky Amarel.

SECRETARY: A motion was made and seconded (Watson/Gaines) and unanimously voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the May 11, 2016 Board Meeting. A motion was made and seconded (Poole/Jagerhorn) and unanimously voted to accept the minutes as written. There was no correspondence.

TREASURER: The checking account has a balance of \$4,862.55 and the savings account has a balance of \$25,065.75. Wendy has ordered four boxes of new checks that should last awhile. She is also preparing a one-month budget to start the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016.

If any Committee Chairpersons need a check for expenses for this fiscal year, you should contact Wendy ASAP. All bills MUST be turned in to Wendy by this month's General Meeting on June 29.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

All Committee Binders must be turned in to Cooky by the June General Meeting. Please clean out items that aren't associated with your position and please print new copies of the By Laws, Policies, and Job Duties and insert in your binder. Copies have been updated and are available on the Guild's website.

Wendy has contacted a new vendor regarding pricing for Past President's pins and will order 100 pins. A motion was made and seconded (Gaines/Jagerhorn) and unanimously voted to increase the budget for Past Presidents Pins from \$250 to \$350 to cover this expense.

NEW BUSINESS:

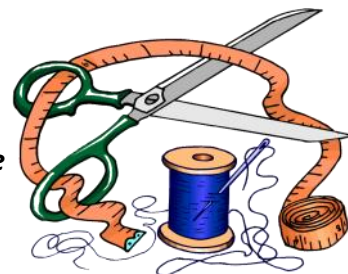
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A discussion was held regarding the backlog of large quilt tops that have been made for Community Service but have yet to be quilted. Dee has quite a few tops ready with the backing and batting but not enough funds in her budget to accomplish this work. A motion was made and seconded (N.Wilson/Watson) to increase the Community Service Budget by \$2,000 from the remaining funds in the 2015/2016 Budget.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Claire and Cheryl are meeting with the new 1st and 2nd VPs this Friday to pass on information regarding their positions.

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QUILT SHOW:

Wendy was unable to attend the May General Meeting but has already deposited a check for \$9,000 from the 2016 Quilt Show in the Guild's Savings Account.

The Opportunity Quilt for 2017 has already travelled to two places for ticket sales and has been well received. The story behind DeRay's inspiration for the quilt seems to be contributing to good ticket sales. Cooky thanked the entire Board and Chairpersons for working with her during her term as President.

General Meeting: June 29, 2016

Board Meeting: ???

The meeting was adjourned at 12:53 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Matsumoto



Community Service

Woohoo! We donated 6 quilts to Juvenile Hall and Camp Singer this month. Thank you ladies for all your hard work!

Those who donated quilts during May are:

Terry Back – 1 completed quilt

Beryl Burtis – 1 quilt top

Dee Campbell – Binding on 2 quilts

Gail Campbell – Binding on 2 quilts

Dianne Deaver – 3 quilt tops

Dee Jagerhorn – 3 quilt tops and binding on 1 quilt

Marilyn Likes – 3 completed quilts

Shirley McElyea – 4 completed quilts

June Muncy – 2 quilt tops with backing

Kathy Sexton – Quilted 2 quilts

Bonnie Smith – 3 completed quilts and she cut up 3 containers of fabric into fat quarters

Melanee Vieira – 1 quilt top

Deanna Williams – 1 quilt top

A big **THANK YOU** to all the mem-

bers for the tremendous support you have given me during the 4 ½ years that I was Chairperson for Community Service! You all did good! Keep supporting Community Service and the new incoming officers!

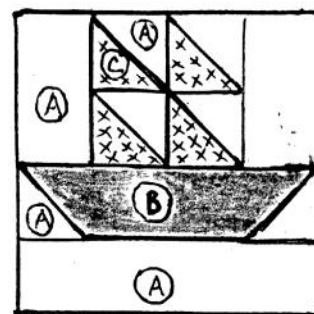
Dee Jagerhorn



Vintage Block



Valley Quilt Guild
BLOCK OF THE MONTH



SUMMER SAILS

BLOCK OF THE MONTH JULY 2000

- COLORS - (A) Muslin or print on muslin
(B) Dark blue - solid or print
(C) Red print

DIRECTIONS - MUSLIN (A) Cut 1 strip - $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$, water; 2 strips of $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 6\frac{1}{2}"$, sky; 2 - 4" squares, and 2 - $3\frac{1}{2}"$ squares.

DARK BLUE (B) Cut 1 - $12\frac{1}{2}" \times 3\frac{1}{2}"$ boat hull section

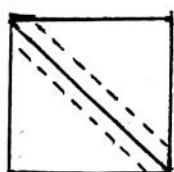
RED (C) Cut 2 - 4" squares, sails

Layer the two 4" squares of muslin and red - right sides together. On wrong side of muslin draw a diagonal line. Stitch $\frac{1}{4}"$ on each side of drawn line. Cut apart on drawn line. Open and press seam to dark fabric and square up to $3\frac{1}{2}"$. - DIAG I. Sew the red print/muslin squares together to form 4 sails. Unit measuring $6\frac{1}{2}" \times 6\frac{1}{2}"$.

Add the muslin $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 6\frac{1}{2}"$ strip to each side of sails unit. This completed unit measures $6\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$. DIAG II.

On each end of the dark blue strip; $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$, layer a $3\frac{1}{2}"$ muslin square right sides together. Draw a diagonal line corner to opposite corner of muslin square. Stitch on line. Trim a $\frac{1}{4}"$ seam allowance from stitching line. Press open flat. Do same on other end. Strip measures $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$. DIAG III.

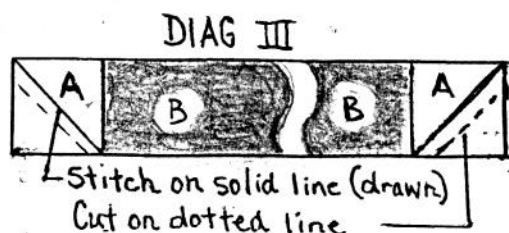
Add muslin strip of $3\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$ (water) to completed boat section. Press to dark side. Unit measures $6\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$. Add this unit to sails unit. Block measures $12\frac{1}{2}"$ square completed.



DIAG I



DIAG II



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~ There is no charge for Upcoming Quilt Show listings ~

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*VQG Info***Purpose:**

To contribute to the knowledge of quilting, to promote the appreciation of fine quilts, to encourage quilt making and collecting and to contribute to the growth and knowledge of quilt techniques, textiles, patterns, history and quilt makers through educational meetings and fellowship.

Meetings:

Meetings are held the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Cal-Trans Building at 703 B St. in Marysville. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Copy ready submissions to the newsletter are **due the by the 7th day of the month by 5:00 p.m. to the**

Newsletter person. Please direct any questions or comments to the Yuba-Sutter Valley Quilt Guild, P. O. Box 1463, Yuba City, CA 95992. Web site: www.valleyquiltguild.com

Membership:

Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts and quilting regardless of skill level. You are urged to join and learn with us. Dues are \$20.00 payable annually. Membership is from July 1 through June 30. Membership entitles you to a newsletter, to an annual membership roster (which is confidential). Affiliate membership fee is \$24.00 with a business listing each month. Affiliate members receive 10% discount for paying a year of ads paid in advance.

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